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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 1909.

One Cent

COUNCIL WILL DEFEND THE ACTION OF DOG CATCHER

Interference with Officer Will not be Tolerated—Heavy Fine.

SIDEWALK QUESTION UP

Borough Engineer is Instructed to Prepare an Ordinance for Lincoln Avenue.

The Charleroi council will stand behind the dog catcher of this place in the performance of his duties. No interference will be tolerated with him, any more than with any other policeman or employee of the borough. Council took action to this effect last night.

It appears that within the past few days the dog catchers have been interfered with in their work, and complaint has been made. Information was brought against three young men, but this morning at a hearing they were discharged on account of lack of evidence. They were given a warning by Acting Burgess H. S. Piesol, and told not to interfere with the dog catcher or any officer in the performance of his duties. For all future offenses a fine of not less than \$100.

The council meeting took up the question of sidewalks on Lincoln Avenue. The borough engineer was instructed to prepare an ordinance to be passed between Fifth and Sixth streets on this avenue.

The raising of the sidewalks on the side of Washington Avenue has been petitioned for by the residents of that street, was taken up at the meeting, and will be investigated.

The council will meet next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The members present and business of the most importance was held over.

To Publish Local Pictures.

Pictures of Charleroi will be published on Sunday in the Pittsburgh Dispatch. These will be of the Volunteer Firemen and the Lutheran church, being taken some time ago by a photographer of the Dispatch. The pictures are intensely interesting. There are three groups, one the hook and ladder truck with the men, a group picture of the firemen's organization, and the chemical and hose wagon with the members.

Natural Educational Association.

The National Educational Association holds its annual meeting this year at the great convention city of Denver, July 5-9. Everything points to a large attendance and a splendid meeting. The railroads have offered very low rates. A special train will leave Philadelphia July 2. Information may be obtained by addressing Reed B. Teitrich, N. E. A. State Director, Harrisburg, or any member of the enrolling committee.

Pastor Transferred.

Rev. Victor Paukzto, who has been pastor of the St. Joseph's Lithuanian church of Donora for the past fifteen months, has been transferred by Bishop Canevin to Church of Ascension, of Market street, Allegheny. Rev. Ignace Abramaitis, rector of the North Side church, will succeed Rev. Paukzto in Donora.

Peoples Bank Loses In The Avner Suit; Case Closed Yesterday

Jury Finds for Defendant in California Bank Ejectment Proceedings.

The jury in the ejectment suit of the Peoples bank of California against Max Avner, yesterday returned a verdict for the defendant. The second suit brought by the Peoples bank, of California against Max Avner, to recover on a \$1,000 mortgage and involving about the same fact as the suit disposed of, was continued by agreement.

EXPENSES OF SUTHERLAND

Successful Candidate Spends Something Over \$2,000 to Gain Desire.

LIST COMPRISES 129 ITEMS

J. C. Sutherland, who won the Republican nomination for recorder at the recent primary, has filed his expense account. His expenditures were \$2,072.92.

The account comprises 129 items, extending from September 1, 1908, to June 16, 1909, inclusive. Newspaper advertising comprises over one half of the total.

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SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

First Presbyterian.

Morning subject, "The Crown of Life." This is the first of a series of five sermons to be preached on "the crowns" mentioned in the Bible. Sunday school at 9:45; Christian Endeavor at 6:45; topic, "The Hill of Difficulty." Leader, Miss Mary Thompson. Evening subject, at 7:30, "What and How Do You See?" Communion service will be held the first Sunday in July. All are cordially invited to attend the services Sunday. Rev. T. J. Hackett, pastor.

Christian.

Services at the First Christian church tomorrow will be as follows: Bible school 9:45 a. m. Junior C. E. 2:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:45 p. m. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The sermon themes will be: Morning, "In Memory of Me," evening, "My Ideal Husband." The report from the County S. S. Convention will be read.

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PIFFLE! ANOTHER

Charleroi Easily Gets Rid of Contest to Grafton Bunch.

THEY HAD IT WON ONCE

Get Three Scores in First Inning—Home Runs Feature Game.

P. & W. Va. League.

Yesterday's Results.

Uniontown	2	Connellsville	1
Grafton	7	Charleroi	6
Fairmont	4	Clarksburg	1

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Fairmont	25	10	.714
Uniontown	19	15	.559
Connellsville	20	17	.541
Grafton	17	20	.459
Clarksburg	13	22	.371
Charleroi	13	23	.361

Today's Schedule.

Grafton at Charleroi
Uniontown at Connellsville
Clarksburg at Fairmont

Grafton won the first contest of the home series yesterday from the Cherubs, or rather were presented with the game by the Charleroi bunch.

After Grafton had scored in the first part of the first inning, through Zinn's homer over the right field fence, Charleroi took things in hand and got three runs in. Morgan was struck out. Murphy got a base, stole second. Elliott struck out. Murphy stole third and Knically was given a walk. While Conway was at bat, Knically and Makepeace pulled off a beautiful double steal, scoring Murphy. Conway doubled, and Makepeace tripled.

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TO SPEAK AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Representative of Salvation Army Rescue Home

Will be Here Sunday—Work That is Being Done.

Tomorrow night, after the regular service at the First Christian church, Capt. Harriet Speelman of the Salvation Army Rescue Home at Bellevue, will deliver an address, for the purpose of bringing to public notice the purposes of the home, and the great work of charity it is performing. Capt. Speelman has been making a tour of the river district in the interests of the institution, and last Sunday made an address along similar lines at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church.

During the year 1900 the Salvation Army opened a home at Mt. Washington as a refuge for fallen women. The institution thrived, but it soon grew too small for its quarters, and was moved to Bellevue in 1905. The object of the home is to reach the poor, friendless, fallen girl who has become the victim of some unscrupulous person. Everyday there are coming into the city, seeking employment, many young women. Unused to city ways, making friends with many they meet at work, etc., without the restraining influence of home, they

are soon led astray. To such as these is the home opened. The girls remain in the home three or four months. During that time they are taught house work and needle work and after giving satisfaction, situations are secured for them. Thus helped they enter a new life of usefulness.

The girls assisted are not all bad. The home is often a temporary refuge for a widow with a little child, one in financial straits. They are kept until a position maybe found for them. A very striking feature of the work in Pittsburgh is the extreme youth of the girls, a number of maternity cases this year being but 14 and 15 years of age. Few of these young mothers have known a mother's care themselves, and it requires much care and great patience to deal with them, but the results are enough for the toil and sympathy expended.

Capt. Speelman, who has devoted much time to this kind of rescue work, is an earnest and sincere woman, a good talker and presents the work of the institution in a most entertaining manner.

CHILDREN'S EXERCISES

Charleroi Circle P. H. C. Has Fine Time at Annual Affair.

OFFICERS ARE NOMINATED

Election Will be Held at Next Regular Meeting on June 25.

The annual children's day exercises held last evening by the members of Charleroi Circle No. 303 P. H. C. was a decided success in every way. A lengthy program was rendered by the little folks consisting of recitations, vocal and instrumental music, all rendered in a very pleasing manner. The Jenkins Juvenile minstrels were present and rendered several pleasing selections and the boys as usual got the glad hand. They show much improvement under the careful training of their leader, Johnny Jenkins.

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served to the children and the visitors, consisting of ice cream and cake. The occasion is only one more of the many pleasant events participated in by the circle, which are growing in interest each year as they tend to bring the young and old together in a manner that is productive of much sociability. After much various forms of amusement were provided for the little ones, while the older ones were loth to leave the clock struck the midnight hour.

Nominations for officers for the coming term of six months were made at the election will be held at the regular meeting, June 25. A large attendance is expected at this election.

Boy Cornetist Appears.

A free orchestra concert will be given at Eldora Park Sunday afternoon and evening. Master Joseph Franks, Charleroi's celebrated boy cornetist, will appear and render solos at each concert.

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CONTROVERSY ARISES OVER AWARD OF LIGHT CONTRACT

Corner Stone Laying Of Monongahela's New School Building

President Graves of Board Places Stone in Its Position.

The corner stone of the new school building which is in course of erection at Monongahela was laid last evening with appropriate ceremonies.

Among the features of the evening was a parade which extended over the principal streets. In this were many of the fraternal societies of the town and the school children. There were two bands.

The laying of the stone was by Dr. Grave, president of the school board. The address was made by Rev. Beckler of the Christian church.

EUCHRE AS A BENEFIT

Ladies' Auxiliary of Monessen General Hospital Realize Good Sum.

LARGE NUMBER ATTEND

The euchre held at the Elks' home yesterday afternoon by the Charleroi Ladies' Auxiliary of the Monessen General Hospital was a success in every particular.

Many were in attendance and several tickets were sold to those who did not attend the euchre. Between \$50 and \$60 was realized, this amount to be used in the purchasing supplies for the hospital.

The hours of play were from 2 to 5. There were quite a number of out-of-town guests present, some coming from Monessen, North Charleroi and other places. The committee on arrangements for the affair was composed of the finance committee of the Auxiliary. The ladies desire to extend their thanks to the Elks' Club for the use of their hall, feeling that they have in this manner aided in a worthy work.

Tent Meetings at Donora.

Arrangements are being completed for the tent meetings which are to be held in Donora July 1st to July 11th. Rev. Henry J. Gile, pastor of one of the large congregations in Pittsburgh is to be present and preach every evening and Sunday afternoons during the meetings.

Charleroi Man is Appointed.

Through the influence of Senators Penrose and Oliver John J. Oates of Charleroi has been appointed an inspector of the field department of the State Board of Health. His chief is Walter H. Hood of Philadelphia, and the field of operation is State wide.

To Repair Church.

The trustees of the Speers M. E. church are making preparations to remodel their building as well as to furnish it so far as needed. A subscription is being raised to provide the necessary funds.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. C. W. Albright was tendered a surprise last evening at her home on Fallowfield Avenue by a number of her friends, it being in form of a birthday party. There were a number of guests present, several attending from out of town. The evening was spent with the usual diversions. Lunch was served.

Notice.

The store of Leslie Campbell Co., the American Clothiers, located at 413 McKean Avenue, Charleroi, Pa., has been officially named as headquarters at which to purchase Street Railway uniforms Division 88, Amalgamated Association Street and Electric Railway employees of America. 25116.

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 ture.

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 tlement of estates, public sales, live stock
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LOCAL AGENCIES

George S. Mighl.....Charleroi
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June 19 In American History.

1794—Richard Henry Lee, president at
 one time of congress and the first to
 introduce resolutions for inde-
 pendence, died; born 1732.

1864—Battle between the United States
 steamer Kearsarge and the Con-
 federate cruiser Alabama off Cher-
 bourg, France; the Alabama de-
 stroyed.

1905—The capital of the United States
 named as the meeting place of the
 Russian and Japanese peace plen-
 ipotentiaries.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:24; moon sets
 9:25 p. m.; 9:30 p. m., all Jupiter's four
 outer satellites seen on east of the
 planet, beautifully grouped.

June 20 In American History.

1811—Matthew Simpson, noted bishop
 of the Methodist Episcopal church,
 born in Cidz, Or.; died 1884.

1897—The final papers were signed by
 which Alaska was sold to the United
 States for \$7,200,000.

1876—Santa Anna, general, dictator
 and president of Mexico for many
 years; died at his estate of Mague-
 Clay; born 1795.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:25; moon sets
 10:09 p. m.; sun's declination today
 23.5 degrees north of celestial equator.

Wants to Bolt.

True to its Prohibition proclivities,
 the Washington Observer is already
 advocating a bolt of the Republican
 State ticket in Washington county.
 It expresses the hope that Rev. Frank
 Fish of Claysville will be the Prohi-
 bition candidate for State Treasurer, be-
 cause the Republican candidate, Ex-
 Senator Jeremiah A. Stober, has always
 been a Republican, and the Republi-
 can party, in the Observer's opinion,
 by not endorsing Prohibition, has no
 longer any right for existence. In
 this the Observer's logic is along the
 lines of the old theological argument
 that all sin deserves punishment, and
 every dereliction is a sin; therefore
 the boy who misses his lesson at school
 is guilty of sin, and consequently de-
 serves eternal damnation.

Time was when the Observer was
 not so squeamish over the conduct of
 any element of the Republican party.
 Only three years ago when the State
 capitol scandal was an issue, and a
 large contingent of the better element
 of the Republican party joined the
 Lincoln movement in the support of
 Lewis Emery, Jr., as a candidate
 for Governor against the so-called
 machine Republican nominee, the Ob-
 server not only followed this machine
 willingly, but it made frantic appeals
 to the voters of Washington county
 for party regularity. Mr. Acheson was
 a candidate for Congress himself
 then, which made the difference.

Now, when after the grafters who
 masqueraded as Republicans have
 been eliminated, the Observer wants
 to bolt. Its mission is simply to stir
 up trouble because of political sore-
 ness, and not on account of any
 scruples of public morality or integ-
 rity.

Proper Support.

After passing an ordinance requir-
 ing all dogs that run at large in the

borough to be muzzled, the town
 council will resolutely enforce its provi-
 sions. A dog catcher has been em-
 ployed, but some people seem to
 think this official has no legal author-
 ity, and can be interfered with at
 will. At a meeting last night the
 council again emphasized its action in
 this matter by entering proceedings
 against two persons who were charged
 with interfering with the dog catcher,
 and expressed determination to vigor-
 ously prosecute further offenses of this
 kind.

In taking such action council is per-
 forming its duty to the public, and
 the members will be accorded the sup-
 port of citizens generally. The ordi-
 nance was enacted for the safety of
 the people and its enforcement entails
 no hardship on any person. The
 danger from dogs running at large is
 great at all times, and no private
 rights are encroached upon by remov-
 ing a grave source of danger to the
 public in general.

A Benificent Institution.

How to help erring girls has long
 been one of the difficult problems
 that has perplexed students of sociol-
 ogy. There is no place for such cases
 in any of the public charitable institu-
 tions, except in cases of physical or
 mental incapacity, when the hospitals
 or asylums take them in. There are
 also sectarian homes of refuge, but
 these are not general in their appli-
 cation. The Salvation Army, which
 never wastes time studying abstract
 problems when human help is neces-
 sary, has established a Rescue and
 Maternity Home for unfortunate girls
 and women in a suburb of Pittsburg,
 and if it has not solved a general
 problem, it has at least rescued a
 number of souls that would otherwise
 have been lost in the flotsam and jet-
 sam of wrecked lives.

Tomorrow night at the First Chris-
 tian church, a representative of the
 home will tell of its work and achieve-
 ments. The Salvation Army are not
 capitalists. They undertake anything
 for the good of humanity, and trust in
 God and the generosity of those who
 worship the master. This institution is
 perhaps little known, but its work
 must appeal strongly to those who
 sympathize for the unfortunate to
 whom aid is least available.

Electric Sparks

Some of the people connected with
 the Charleroi baseball team were sore
 at the Mail because it had not pro-
 vided a crowd at the baseball park for
 yesterday's game. Evidently ex-
 pected us to accomplish an impossi-
 bility. If the team were winning
 games occasionally there might be a
 good attendance, but otherwise, it is
 hardly fair to expect people to go.
 If a good team had been secured to
 start with, things would have been
 different now.

Family reunions will soon be the
 order of the day in this county.
 That wonderful "woman in black"
 over at Washington cannot be shot,
 is the latest report. Wonder what
 the "dad-bimed" thing is, anyhow?

The trouble with granting rural
 sections brick highways, is that they
 will begin to think they are the town,
 and will refuse thereafter to come to
 the former centers to buy their provi-
 sions and bring in fresh eggs. [Don't
 matter so much about the former, but
 we would hate to lose their fresh egg
 service.]

The Charleroi Merchants will doubt-
 less in the near future start some
 visiting to some other works. But,
 fellows, beware, lest they want to
 feed you twice, for that you know is
 a hindrance to good digestion.

Charleroi Board Wins.

By a decision rendered by Squire
 Young of Belle Vernon today at noon,
 the Charleroi school board wins its
 suit against the Fayette City school
 board for a claim of \$38.10 for tuition
 to the high school for two of
 Fayette City's pupils. The Fayette
 City board disputed the claim on
 technical grounds, and the Charleroi
 board brought suit before Squire
 Young of Belle Vernon last Tuesday,
 who reserved his decision until to-
 day, when he gave judgement to
 Charleroi for the sum named.

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WILD ELEPHANTS.

A Hard Successful Raid on a Granary
 In Ceylon.
 Some soldiers stationed at an out-
 post in Ceylon, says a Colombo paper,
 to protect a granary containing a large
 quantity of rice were sent off a few
 miles to quiet some unruly villagers.
 Only two of the party remaining be-
 hind. No sooner had the soldiers de-
 parted than a herd of wild elephants
 which had long been wandering about
 the neighborhood, appeared in front of
 the granary. Its walls were of solid
 brickwork, very thick, and the only
 opening into the building was in the
 center of the roof, which was reached
 by a ladder. On the approach of the
 elephants the two men clambered up
 into a lofty banyan tree to escape in-
 jury. Screened by the thick foliage,
 though unseen by the elephants, they
 easily saw all that went on below.
 The sagacious animals began oper-
 ations at the corners of the building.
 Two powerful elephants, after putting
 forth every effort, but in vain, to make
 an impression on the building, were
 forced to retire exhausted. A third
 came forward, and applying his tusks
 as levers, he at length succeeded in
 dislodging a single brick. An opening
 once made, others of the herd ad-
 vanced, and soon an entrance was ob-
 tained sufficiently large to admit them.
 As the whole company could not be
 accommodated at once, they divided
 into small groups of three or four.
 After satisfying themselves they re-
 tired and gave place to others until
 the whole herd, upward of twenty, had
 made a full meal. By this time a shrill
 sound was heard from one of the ele-
 phants, and those still in the granary
 rushed out and joined their compan-
 ions. One of the first divisions, after
 leaving the building, had acted as sen-
 tinel while the others were taking their
 turn. He had perceived the troops
 returning from the village and gave
 the signal for retreat, when the whole
 herd, flourishing their trunks, moved
 rapidly into the jungle.

The soldiers found the animals had
 devoured the greater part of the rice.
 A ball from a fieldpiece was discharged
 at them in their retreat, but they only
 wagged their tails as if in mockery
 and were soon hidden in the recesses
 of their native forests.

LEPROSY.

After One Ravages the Disease May Lie
 Dormant For Years.

The leper in the settlement at Mo-
 lokai is far better off than the leper
 who lies in hiding outside. Such a
 leper is a lonely outcast, living in con-
 stant fear of discovery and slowly and
 surely rotting away. The action of
 leprosy is not steady. It lays hold of
 its victim, commits a ravage, and then
 lies dormant for an indeterminate pe-
 riod. It may not commit another rav-
 age for five years or ten years or forty
 years, and the patient may enjoy un-
 interrupted good health. Rarely, how-
 ever, do these first ravages cease of
 themselves. The skilled surgeon is re-
 quired, and the skilled surgeon cannot
 be called in for the leper who is in
 hiding. For instance, the first ravage
 may take the form of a perforating ul-
 cer in the sole of the foot. When the
 bone is reached necrosis sets in. If
 the leper is in hiding he cannot be
 operated upon, the necrosis will con-
 tinue to eat its way up the bone of
 the leg, and in a brief and horrible
 time that leper will die of gangrene or
 some other terrible complication. On
 the other hand, if that same leper is
 in Molokai the surgeon will operate
 upon the foot, remove the ulcer, cleanse
 the bone and put a complete stop to
 that particular ravage of the disease.
 A month after the operation the leper
 will be out riding on horseback, run-
 ning foot races, swimming in the break-
 ers or climbing the giddy sides of the
 valleys for mountain apples. And, as
 has been stated before, the disease, ly-
 ing dormant, may not again attack him
 for five, ten or forty years.—Jack Lon-
 don in Contemporary Review.

Three New Hats.

Milliners have other troubles besides
 the frequent difficulty of collecting
 bills. One milliner tells of a letter she
 received from the wife of a man who
 in a brief time had advanced from
 poverty to great wealth. His family
 was still in obscurity, but was prepar-
 ing to emerge.

"I want you should make a bonnet
 and two hats right off," wrote the
 wife, "for me and the girls, and ex-
 pense is no account."

"My measure is nearly twelve inches
 from ear to ear over the head and
 eight under chin and six from top of
 forehead to back hair, and that's near-
 enuff for both the girls."

"I'm sandy, Jane is dark, and Lucy's
 got red hair. We want lively colors,
 and I want blue flowers and strings
 on mine, besides some plooms."

"Jane wants hers green, and Lucy
 wants pink. We don't care what shapes,
 but they must be becoming and so as
 they won't blow to pieces in the wind.
 Nor we don't want them loud, for my
 husband won't hear to such."

"Please send within five days, and
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An Impossible Man.

"Why did you marry me?"
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 ent from other men."

"And now you want a divorce be-
 cause you were mistaken?"
 "No; because I was right."—Cleve-
 land Leader.

I believe in laughter, in love, in
 faith, in all distant hopes that lure us
 on.—Groves.

CITY OF THE INSANE.

Happy and contented "Guests" of the
 Inhabitants of Ghoul.
 One of the most remarkable places
 in Europe, of which no tourist on pleas-
 ure bent ever takes notice, says a writ-
 er in a Berlin paper, is the "City of the
 Insane," by which name Gheel, near
 Antwerp, has been known for genera-
 tions. About 1,500 men and women
 afflicted with insanity in all its forms
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 unfortunate ones. In the streets, in
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 to treat the demented people. The
 dangerous ones are sent to another
 settlement and to institutions. It is
 wonderful how considerate, careful
 and kind the simple people are toward
 their charges, and a peep into the com-
 munity would probably terrify physi-
 cians who had never heard of and
 could not appreciate the good which is
 being done in this "City of the In-
 sane."

A RACE ON ICE.

The Skates That Got Away and Those
 That Were Recovered.

Thackeray once asked one of the
 men who let out skates on the Ser-
 pentine whether he had ever lost a
 pair through the omission to exact a
 deposit, and he replied that he had
 never done so, except on one occasion,
 when the circumstances made it al-
 most pardonable.

A well dressed young fellow was
 having his second skate fastened on
 when he suddenly broke away from
 the man's hands and dashed to the ice.
 The next instant a thickest, powerful
 man was clamoring for another pair.

He was a detective in pursuit of his
 prey, and a very animating sight it
 was to watch the chase. He was, as
 he had boasted, a first rate skater, and
 it became presently obvious that he
 was running down his man.

Then the young fellow determined to
 run a desperate risk of liberty. The
 ice, as usual, under the bridge was
 marked "Dangerous," and he made for
 it at headlong speed. The ice bent be-
 neath his weight, but he got safely
 through.

The sheriff's officer followed with
 equal pluck, but, being a heavier man,
 broke through and was drowned.

"His skates," said the narrator of
 the incident, "I got back after the in-
 quest, but those the young gentleman
 had on I never saw again."—London
 Telegraph.

The Salt-Sea Legend.

There is a legend in the Norse scalds
 which explains why the sea is salt.
 The "bountiful Frodi," whose mythical
 reign was a golden age indeed, pos-
 sessed a quern, or hand mill, which
 ground out gold and peace, but which
 would grind out stores of anything de-
 sired by its owner. Two giant maid-
 ens, ruled over by Frodi, were the
 grinders. In an evil day a sea rover
 came upon the scene, slew Frodi and
 carried off the quern and the two
 giant maidens who worked it. When
 the sea rover's vessel was right out at
 sea he ordered the maidens to grind
 salt. At midnight they asked if they
 had not ground enough. The sea
 rover, angry at being awakened from
 his sleep, commanded them to grind
 until morning. Now, the giant maid-
 ens, naturally enough worked very
 quickly, so as they went on grinding
 the load of salt grew so heavy that it
 sank the ship, and now the sea will
 continue salt forever.

Looked Too Far.

There was an English farmer, a
 Somersetshire man, who once owned
 a telescope. The old man remarked
 to a friend at a local race meeting that
 the gentry nowadays had glasses for
 both eyes and added that he "had had
 one once for one eye, a right good one
 it was, but now it was no use at all—
 no, not to nobody."

"Why not?" asked the friend.
 "Well," he said, "it were a good one.
 I could see miles w'en I could see
 plain the steeple of the church five
 miles off. But missus' son John, he
 borrowed en, and he tried to see the
 steeple of Cother church, ten miles
 off—and tried and tried and couldn't.
 And that strained it, and it were nev-
 er of no use any more—no, not to no-
 body."

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The Misdirected Letter

By TIMOTHY C. DICK

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Abner Simmons entered his bachelor apartment after returning from business, sighed, sat down in an easy chair and felt very lonely. Presently he looked up at the mantel, and there stood a letter. It was addressed in a woman's hand to Mrs. Abner Simmons. To Mr. Simmons this address was a mockery. It suggested a home, a pleasant looking woman tripping down stairs at hearing her husband's latch-key to the door, followed by a troop of girls and boys; a connubial kiss and several pairs of little arms around papa's neck.

All this Mr. Simmons saw in the oblong letter addressed to her who was not. Of course there was a Mrs. Simmons for some man of the same name as himself; but, alas, there was no such person for him! What should he do with it? He took it down from the mantel and examined it closely. A hand was stamped on it with its forefinger pointing to "Try this" and "Try that." There were so many of these suggestions "to try" that Mr. Simmons believed the letter had been the rounds and no Mrs. Simmons found. How could she be found since she did not exist? He determined to make a dead letter office of himself, open it and return it to the writer.

Mr. Simmons took out a letter and a card photograph. The photograph was that of a woman from thirty to thirty-five years old, and as he looked it seemed to be the face of her whose reception of him had filled his fancy. The letter was signed, "Your loving sister." The address was given, and Mr. Simmons put it in another envelope, with a brief note stating his motives. In opening it and asking for information of Mrs. Abner Simmons, and how she happened to exist without his being any better for her existence. He wished to keep the photograph, but did not feel authorized to do so. He addressed it to the street and number given in the letter.

In about a week a reply came. The writer said the name on the letter was not Simmons, but Timmons. (After all, there was no Mrs. Simmons.) The photograph was a likeness of Miss Margaret Butterworth. The writer, Miss Cornelia Boyd, was transmitting it to Mrs. Timmons. The letter concluded with thanks for the favor Mr. Simmons had done the writer.

Just what Mr. Simmons had said in his note about the photograph does not appear, but Miss Boyd must have noticed something of admiration and been ready, as most women are, to help out a romance for she was not called upon to mention the picture, as she did. Mr. Simmons wrote again, asking if Miss Butterworth were related to James Butterworth, an eminent divine and an uncle of the writer. A reply came that Miss Boyd could not answer the question and gave Miss Butterworth's address.

Mr. Simmons looked up quite an ingenious letter to Miss Butterworth. After mentioning that he had seen her picture and how he came to see it, he said that the features were remarkably like those of the Rev. James Butterworth, his esteemed uncle, and he was sure that he (Simmons) could claim her for a relative, probably a first cousin. He received a polite reply that the lady had no such relative and had never heard of any such person. This was not surprising to Mr. Simmons, whose knowledge of the reverend gentleman was precisely that of Miss Butterworth. The clergyman was an invention.

The genealogical plan having failed, Mr. Simmons wrote again to Miss Boyd, frankly stating that he would be interested to meet the original of the photograph and asking if in the kindness of her heart she would suggest a method for the purpose. All the world loves a lover, and Miss Boyd gave him a list of half a dozen friends of Miss Butterworth, any of whom might introduce him provided they knew him to be a gentleman.

Meanwhile Miss Boyd had put her friend on to the fact that she had an unknown admirer, and it was Miss Butterworth who suggested the names of the possible introducers. One, and only one, of the names was known to Mr. Simmons, and he was a member of Simmons' club. The attentions Mr. Simmons suddenly began to shower upon this man were only understood when a request came for the introduction.

It was an advantage to Mr. Simmons' cause that for several months Miss Butterworth was cognizant of the fact that she had an unknown admirer. Her fancy during this time was feeding on Mr. Simmons' personnel. Miss Boyd, whose misdirected letter had led to this possible romance, made inquiries about Mr. Simmons, found friends who knew him and pronounced him a good man. This Miss Boyd exaggerated into "a noble, good man." Miss Butterworth, too, was on the shady side of thirty and not unwilling to meet her fate. Before the introduction she had been given Mr. Simmons' antecedents, his business and social standing by her friend, who asked permission to do the introducing. All that remained was to see Mr. Simmons.

When she did see him the impression was so favorable that the way from this point was made easy for him. He proposed to her the evening he met her, she gave an answer tantamount to an acceptance, and they were married in due time.

And now the fancy excited by the supposed name of Mrs. Simmons (who, after all, has little or nothing to do with this story) is being rapidly satisfied.

The Case of Major Iglehart

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It was a queer case, that of Major Iglehart. He was neglectful of duty, slovenly in appearance and drunk hard. His uniform hung on him limply, his coat turned green, his boots were muddy, and his hair protruded through a hole in his hat.

Charges for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman—drunkenness—were preferred against the major. They were about to come up for trial when suddenly the enemy came down on us. The colonel led the retreat, the lieutenant colonel following in close order. Of the field officers the major alone was at the front. But he was not the officer we had known. He was transfigured. He sat erect on his horse, his eye lighted with the fire of battle, and his orders rang out in a clear, ringing tone. It seemed that he had returned to the being he had been before some great sin or some great grief had blighted him.

He found the men in confusion, some flying, some gathering their weapons and accouterments, some making an effort at formation. The moment he appeared, out of the struggling mass a line developed, and those running to the rear came back, and re-enforced it. Seizing a standard, he called upon us to follow and, charging, saved the day.

After it was over all reverted to its former status. The colonel and lieutenant colonel resumed command, and the major got drunk. But the charges were quietly withdrawn. Though the major greatly lowered the moral and social tone of the regiment, he must be endured. Everybody felt that way—the field officers because he could lead the men to battle and they could not, the line officers and the men because they must have some one to lead them when there was fighting to do. No one thought of advancing the major to the position of colonel. Such a colonel would ruin the regiment with the army. For a while we tried to treat him with consideration, but he was so shabby, so unsoldierly, in every way so degraded, that we soon gave it up and realized that our handsome colonel was still our commander.

And so it continued. When the colonel spoke to us, as he often did, in a pleasing and dignified manner, calling us "my boys," we cheered, but the first thing we knew we were following the major over breastworks or standing in line with teeth set, taking punishment. Every time there was fighting to be done he loomed up at the front, and when it was over he sank back into his habitual stupor.

Under our colonel the regiment acquired an excellent reputation for discipline and soldierly bearing. Under the major's leadership, in battle we became known as one of the most gallant bodies in the army. Of course the regiment must be honored in some one's name, and it was impossible to honor us through the major. Therefore the colonel got no end of mention for gallantry and eventually was made a brigadier general. That let the lieutenant colonel in for the balance of the glory, all of which emanated from the major.

The major never made any complaint at the fact that all these honors passed over his head. He didn't seem to care. Nor did any one in the regiment object. We all felt that our services should have recognition and considered that honors conferred upon him would be no recognition at all.

At the last fight the major fought the army was held in check by a hill on which the enemy had planted artillery, and everything was at a deadlock. The general rode up to our regiment and asked for the colonel and lieutenant colonel in quick succession. Nobody could tell him where they were. He asked for the next in command. Some one told him that Major Iglehart was asleep on a fence rail near by. At that moment the major appeared. The general looked at him in despair. Nevertheless he gave him an order to take the hill.

The way the major walked up that hill was a sight to behold. The general beheld it from below and when the hill was ours rode up and asked for the major. We showed him the officer lying on the ground with a bullet hole in his forehead. The general turned away sadly with the remark, "If he had lived he should have had a division."

We all knew more about that than the general. The major in command of a division! Absurd! Yet there was something about the clay he had left behind—his former self—that made us forget his second self and think of him as a major general. With that look on his face we buried him, fired a volley over him and forgot him till the next fight, when, having no one to lead us, we covered ourselves with disgrace and after several such episodes were mustered out of the service with dishonor.

But to finish about the major. The day after he was killed a letter came for him addressed in a woman's hand. Not knowing what to do with it, the adjutant concluded to consider it a dead letter, open it for the address of the sender and return it. It read:

My Darling—Today my sun, which set when you left us, believing you a guilty man, has risen, though, oh, how sad! Will has confessed. You may now assume your own individuality and come back to us. Doubtless, coming as a soldier from the front, you will have great influence in obtaining a pardon for him. Come to me, my love, and forgive me for believing you when you made that false confession. In life and in eternity your love,

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and

Events in the Community.

Gilbert, Uptergaft returned home
this morning after a visit with friends
and relatives in Waltersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Rosomme leave
this evening for Atlantic City, where
they will spend several days.

F. R. Park left this morning for
Cleveland, Ohio, where he will re-
main for sometime.

David C. Lindsay has returned from
a business trip to West Virginia. Mr.
Lindsay is a deputy organizer of the
Loyal Order of the Moose, and is
forming lodges in several West Vir-
ginia towns.

William Parks, a former resident
and business man of this place, now
located near Artesia, New Mexico,
will leave for his home this evening
after a visit of several days in Char-
leroi. Mr. Parks was back to his
old home on a business and pleasure
trip.

Henry Frye, formerly of Charleroi,
returned from San Francisco yester-
day, where he had spent several
months with his father. He will re-
main here for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves and
Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riggs took a
trip to Brownsville last evening in the
Reeves touring car.

Burgess George W. Risbeck is con-
fined to his home on Washington ave-
nue by illness.

Mrs. Carl Fisher, son Raymond and
daughter Mabel, left today for Marion,
Ind., where they will visit relatives.
They were accompanied by Mrs. Fjsh-
er's brother, Grover Teagarden, who
will spend sometime with his parents.

A number of Charleroi young people
attended a social given by the M. E.
church of Allenport last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves and
children of Carmichaels arrived today
for a visit with friends and relatives.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. T. P. O'Connor's visit to this
country is in the interest of Irish in-
dustries.

Mrs. Taft's name heads the roll of
honorary members of the Daughters
of Ohio. She was elected at a recent
meeting of the society which was held
in New York.

Miss Catherine Regina Seabury, for
some years the head of St. Agnes
school at Albany, is spoken of as the
successor of Miss Agnes Irwin as de-
an of Radcliffe college.

Queen Wilhelmina, who has recently
become a convert to perfumes, prefers
the soft, uncertain French odors, and
she uses them in a French way. She
seems each article of clothing strongly,
but with a different odor.

Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, instructor in
the department of chemistry at the
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,
is to give a course of lectures at the
University of California the coming
summer on "Household Economics."

Mrs. Mary Nevins Bull, widow of Dr.
William T. Bull, has presented to the
New York Academy of Medicine a
bronze bust of her husband, which was
Dr. Bull's last gift to her before he
died. She gives it to the academy in
his son's name.

Little Miss Emily Boynton of Colo-
rado, who is only thirteen years old,
has a record as a mountain climber.
She recently ascended Long's peak,
commonly called the American Matter-
horn, which is 14,271 feet high, scor-
ing the aid of a guide, even at the dan-
gerous points. The feat would be dif-
ficult for a man.

Countess von Boos Farrar, a niece of
Archdeacon Farrar, is giving her whole
time to New York's sick and needy.
She has lately secured seventy-five
acres at Spring Valley, N. Y., and will
build there a home for children of
criminals, not only to care for the
waifs, but to make a thorough test of
the theory of inherited crime. Crimi-
nologists are said to be much inter-
ested in the results of the venture.

Her Retort.

It is always gratifying to meet a
person who is contented with his lot.
For that reason it would be delightful
to make the acquaintance of the wom-
an who had the last word in a suffra-
ge controversy. The writer of a suffra-
geist communication in a newspaper
wrote sadly that "woman is nothing
but a female relative of man; the man
is the noun, the woman is the preposi-
tion." "Well, what do I care?" was
the triumphant retort. "The preposi-
tion governs the noun."—Youth's Com-
panion.

Classified Ads

FOR RENT

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms
at once, 318 Washington avenue.
317-19.

FOR RENT—Two front rooms for
light house keeping, board if desired,
156 Mail office. 2622f

WANTED

GIRL WANTED—For general
housework. Apply at 411 Meadow
avenue. 6232tp

WANTED—To buy a folding bed
in good order, send particulars or call
for No. 155 Mail office.

PIFFLE

THE

(Continued from First Page.)

to right, Raley, letting the ball go
through, and Elliott tried to get
third, getting caught however.

In the ninth Zinn for Grafton
singled, but was out on second on a
fielder's choice when Gainer tried to
sacrifice. Gainer stole second and went
to third on Hinton's out. Dan Raley
sent an easy one down to first, and
while Smith was standing with the
ball in his hands wondering what to
do, Gainer crossed the plate and Raley
was safe. The score:

CHARLEROI.

Players.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Morgan, m.	4	1	1	5	0	0
Murphy, s.	4	1	0	4	2	0
Elliott, i.	4	1	2	2	0	0
Knically, 2.	4	1	0	0	0	0
Conway, i.	5	1	3	1	0	0
Makepiece, c.	5	0	3	7	0	1
Smith, i.	4	0	0	6	0	0
Urban, 3.	4	1	1	1	2	0
Eckert, p.	2	0	0	1	2	2
Humphries, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0

Totals..... 36 6 10 27 6 3

GRAFTON.

Players.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermal, 2.	3	1	0	4	2	1
Zinn, i.	5	0	2	1	0	0
Gainer, i.	5	2	2	5	0	0
Hinton, s.	5	1	1	2	0	0
B. Raley, r.	5	2	4	2	0	0
Gainer, m.	5	0	1	3	1	0
Warren, 3.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Brigger, c.	3	0	0	9	0	0
Fitzwater, p.	4	0	1	1	0	1

Totals..... 38 7 11 27 6 2

Charleroi..... 3 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 6
Grafton..... 1 1 0 0 0 4 0 1 7

Two base hits—Conway 2, Gainer.

Three base hit—Makepiece. Home

runs—Zinn, Fraley. Sacrifice hits—

Humphries, Warren. Stolen bases—

Murphy 3, Elliott, Knically, Rothermel,

Gainer, Brigger. Hit by pitcher—

Eckert. Bases on balls—Off Eckert,

4 off Fitzwater 4. Struck out—By

Eckert 2, by Fitzwater 5. Passed

balls—Murphy 2. Umpire—Feather-

ingham.

SUNDAY SERVICES

AT THE CHURCHES

(Continued from First Page.)

tion will be given at the Bible School
session and the report from the C. E.
convention at the C. E. session.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Holy communion at 8 a. m., Sun-
day school and Bible Class at 9:45,
morning prayer, anti-communion ser-
vice and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject,
"Human Nature." Evening prayer
and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Subject—
"The Greatest in the Kingdom, and
Their Reward." Seats free. All
are welcome.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian

The children's day services will be
held at the Washington avenue Presby-
terian church Sunday evening at 8
o'clock. Other services as usual.

Baptist.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m., morning
worship with sermon 11 a. m. Sub-
ject "The One Man as Among Nine."
Evening service 7:30 sharp. Wednes-
day evening Covenant meeting.

Christ Lutheran.

Washington Avenue and Sixth
street, Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Divine worship at 11 o'clock with ser-
mon by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Frontz.
Meeting for men only in the Brother-
hood room of the church at 3 o'clock.
Luther League at 6:30 p. m. Leader,
Miss Emma Gloor. At 7:30 p. m. the
children's day service. A cordial
welcome to all the services.

Qualified.

"I'm sure my daughter is going to
make a great singer some day."

"Is that so?"

"Yes; she's always quarreling with
her mother, who tells me it is absolute-
ly impossible to manage her."—Detroit
Free Press.

Paid Her Back.

Mae—So you are engaged to George?
I refused him three times. Ethel—That
must have been what he meant when
he told me that he had had several
narrow escapes.—New York Journal.

Both Taunted.

"You are in the employ of that mil-
lonaire up on the hill, aren't you?"
snapped the sharp faced woman who
ran the butter and egg shop.

"Yes, ma'am," responded the man in
the white apron, "and I want two
pounds of butter for my master's ta-
ble. He said he'd send to town after
it, only the roads are so bad."

"He did, eh? Well, we are not par-
ticular about his trade. Did you tell
him I said his money was tainted?"

"Indeed, I did."

"And what did he say?"

"Said so was you, blamed old but-
ter."—Chicago News.

PIFFLE

THE

(Continued from First Page.)

The tables of Egypt prove that the
ancients were not without a liking for
fun, and the remnant of ancient art
tell the same story. Examples of ar-
chaic humor are more common than is
generally supposed.

A drawing on a tile in the New York
museum represents a cat dressed as an
Egyptian woman of fashion. She is
seated languidly on a chair, sipping
wine out of a small bowl and being
fanned and offered dainties by an ab-
ject looking toment with his tail be-
tween his legs.

The cat figures largely in the ancient
comic groups of animal life. In a
papyrus in the British museum a flock
of geese are being driven by a cat
and a herd of goats by two wolves
with crooks and wallets. One of the
wolves is playing a double pipe.

There is in Turin a papyrus roll that
displays a whole series of such comical
scenes. In the first place, a lion, a
crocodile and an ape are giving a ve-
cal and instrumental concert. Next
comes an ass dressed, armed and acce-
tered like a pharaoh. With majestic
swagger he receives the gifts present-
ed to him by a cat of high degree, to
which a bull acts as proud conductor.

A lion and a gazelle are playing at
draughts, a hippopotamus is perched
in a tree and a hawk has climbed into
the tree and is trying to dislodge him.

Another picture shows a pharaoh in
the shape of a rat drawn in a carriage
by prancing greyhounds. He is pro-
ceeding to storm a fort garrisoned by
cats having no arms, but teeth and
claws, whereas the rats have battle-
axes, shields and bows and arrows.—
St. Louis Republic.

An Elixir of Life.

"An annuity is the best elixir of life
I know of," said the examining physi-
cian of an insurance company. "It
sometimes seems as if annuitants
never die. We have lots on our books
who top eighty, ninety and even nine-
ty-five years. I have passed many a
sickly and decrepit old fellow as a
good annuity risk—the sicker they
are, you know, the better risk they
make—and the next year he has turned
up to collect his annuity rejuvenat-
ed, rosy, spry as a boy. The secret?
The secret is that financial worry, fear
of the poorhouse, ages and kills off
more people than all the deadly dis-
eases combined. Release an old man
by means of an annuity from all this
worry, and he throws off his years and
walks erect and happy and fearlessly
young."

A HOTEL DINNER.

The Husband Ordered It, and His Wife

Criticized It.

On the midnight train ride from
town, where he and his wife had been
entertaining one of his best patients
at dinner and the theater, the subur-
ban doctor spoke bitterly:

"What a dinner! And it cost \$10.

The cooking in these big hotels is atroc-
ious. They smear sauces over every-
thing. I suppose it is to hide poor ma-
terials."

"It isn't the fault of the cooking that

our dinner was a failure. It was its
selection that doomed it."

"What was the matter with the se-
lection?"

"You should not have done the or-
dering. You have your meals chosen
for you almost every day in the year.
It is the women of people in our cir-
cumstances who ought to arrange the
menus at restaurants. Look what you
ordered! Bisque of lobster—a soup
with a body of thick white sauce.
Sweetbreads—cooked, as usual, with
a cream dressing. Virginia ham with
champagne sauce—a brown sauce as
thick as molasses. Then for dessert
you took a chance on pudding Reine
Victoria—dressed with fruit and lady-
fingers swimming in soft custard."

"Well, how is a fellow to know? Lobster
soup, sweetbreads, Virginia ham and
pudding Reine Victoria—it sounds fine."

"But a woman knows that it is a
wretched combination of splendid
dishes. It is the woman's dull duty
to choose menus for 365 days in the
year. She learns a good deal about
selection. Yet when a sum of money,
equal to a week's food expenses, is to
be squandered on one dinner at a
hotel it is the man who seizes the
menu and tries to look capable. He
makes a failure frequently, as you did
tonight. It would have been a piece-
work for me to order a fifteen dollar din-
ner—a change from manipulating din-
ner for four on \$1. But men feel too
important in a restaurant to submit
the menu to their wives for assist-
ance."—Exchange.

Caught Bending.

Professor Cube Root's class of geo-
metrical geniuses were receiving in-
structions. They were first taught that
a circle was a thing like this—O. They
then learned that a straight line was
one without wabbles in it, so —
"Now, boys," said Professor Root,
"can any of you describe to me what
a half circle is like?"

Up shot half a dozen grasping hands.

"Well, Teddy," said Professor Root,
"let's hear your definition of a half
circle first."

"Please, sir," answered Teddy. "It's
a straight line caught bending."—Lon-
don Express.

Knew He Was Safe.

"You seem to be going home in a
very cheerful manner for a man who
has been out all night."

"Yes, you see, my wife is an am-
ateur elocutionist, and she's saving her
voice for an entertainment tomorrow
night."—Cleveland Plain J

HER PHYSICIAN ADVISED

Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Columbus, Ohio.—"I have taken

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-

ound, and it is a

change of life. My

doctor told me it

was good, and since

taking it, I feel so

much better that I

can do all my work

again. I think

Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Com-

ound a fine remedy

for all woman's

troubles, and I

never forget to tell

my friends what it has done for me."

—Mrs. E. HANSON, 304 East Long St.,

Columbus, Ohio.

Another Woman Helped.

Graniteville, Vt.—"I was passing

through the Change of Life and suffered

from nervousness and other annoying

symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-

table Compound restored my health and

strength, and proved worth mountains

of gold to me. For the sake of other

suffering women I am willing you

ALLEGED PRISONER TRIED TO SWINDLE LOCAL MAN

Writes Letter Asking for Aid in Recovering a Large Fortune

LIKE PREVIOUS ATTEMPT

Game Tried Sometime Ago on Lee Lutes of Fallowfield Township

An attempt to swindle David Wagner, a Charleroi resident, something after the manner in which a similar effort was made sometime ago to "rope in" Lee Lutes, a citizen of Fallowfield township, has been made. This is by a letter received from Spain, asking that Mr. Wagner do a certain thing for a man who signs himself "Belavsky, and represents himself to be a banker of St. Petersburg, who some months ago escaped, having absconded with a large amount of money.

The letter was received a few days ago by Mr. Wagner. It is as follows: Madrid, June 6, 1909.

I know you only from the name of your honesty my compels me to reveal you an affair in which you can get the best fortune saving at the cost of that of my darling

being imprisoned here I am as a banker in Russia, see by the enclosed article of many English newspapers have published my arrest

each you to help me to obtain of \$480,000 dollars I have in my pocket and to come here to raise money and my trial and recover my pocket containing a secret pocket where I have hidden the document indispensable to recover the said sum.

As a reward I will give up to you the third part viz: 160,000 dollars. I cannot receive your answer in the prison, but you must send a cablegram to a person of my confidence who will deliver it to me.

Awaiting your cable to instruct you in all secret, I am Yours truly, Belavsky.

First of all answer by cable, not by letter as follows: Florencio, Hortaleza 110 Tercero vzda, Madrid.

Received Wagner. The clipping referred to in the letter was from a London paper, and is an article on the arrest of Belavsky, stating that the Russian ambassador in England had said the man should have several million of rubies somewhere.

The letter is after the manner of the one sent to Mr. Lutes a few months ago, and it is thought in the same handwriting. The other letter was signed by a different name, however. No attention will be paid to the affair by Mr. Wagner.

Will Have Baby Show.

A baby show, and the greatest ever, will be held on the grounds of the Friday Conversational club, Main street, Monongahela, on Saturday, afternoon, June 26, under the auspices of St. Margaret's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

That Long Delayed Savings Account

Some people delay opening a Savings Account until tomorrow, next week or next year, but the longer it's delayed, the more uncertain they become.

The time to start an account is now and the First National Bank cordially invites you to come in and make your deposit, whether large or small.

4 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Charleroi, Pa.

Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

Young's Expense Account Small

Only Spent Little Over \$500 in Campaign for Recorder

Alex D. Young, who was third in the race for the nomination for recorder on the Republican ticket, but who had a vote well up with the other leading two candidates, spent less money in his campaign than any other candidate. His expense account, which was filed this morning, shows that his total expenditures were just \$590.30. He received no contributions and has no unpaid obligations.

CHERUBS LOSE FINAL GAME

Grafton by Heavy Hitting in Fifth Inning Capture Contest.

MORGAN'S FOUR BAGGER

P. & W. Va. League. Yesterday's Results.

Grafton at Clarksburg.....	1	Clarksburg.....	0
Fairmont-Charleroi-Postponed.		Uniontown-Connellsville-Not scheduled.	
Standing of the Clubs.			
	W. L.	Pct.	
Fairmont.....	26 11	703	
Uniontown.....	20 15	571	
Connellsville.....	20 18	526	
Charleroi.....	20 20	497	
Clarksburg.....	14 24	368	
Charleroi.....	13 24	351	

Today's Schedule.

Grafton at Clarksburg.

Connellsville at Uniontown.

The Charleroi team lost its final game in the P. A. W. Va. league on Saturday afternoon to the Grafton bunch, by the score of 5 to 1. Following this the players were paid up in full and let go, the team being disbanded.

Charleroi's only score came in the first inning. Morgan, the little middle fielder, came up slashed at one, missed. The next ball was sent across the plate, and Pitcher Raley was nearly given heart disease when the thing was landed upon for the entire circuit.

The Graftonites got all theirs in the fifth inning, between blow-ups of the Cherubs and the hard hitting of the visitors.

It started off with Brigger, who hit, Dan Raley sacrificed, Rothermal singled and Zinn was safe while Knicey stood between first and second bases with the horsehide in his paws. Gainer was safe on a single, and Hinton tripped. Hinton scored when Ross Raley binged. The score: GRAFTON.

Players.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Rothermal, 2.....	4	1	3	1	3	0
Zinn, 1.....	4	1	2	3	0	0
Gainer, 1.....	5	1	1	9	0	0
Hinton, s.....	5	1	2	5	1	1
R. Raley, r.....	3	0	1	1	0	0
Gainear, m.....	3	0	0	2	0	0
Warren, 3.....	4	0	0	2	3	0
Brigger, c.....	4	1	1	4	0	0
D. Raley, p.....	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals.....	35	5	10	27	10	1

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ALLOW WIFE TO DO AS SHE PLEASES

So Says Woman in Letter to Rev. Boblitt in Answer to Query On "The Ideal Husband."

"I think a model husband should be sober, gentlemanly, temperate, kind, loving and allow his wife to do about as she pleases, but I am afraid they are hard to find." Such was one of the letters received by Rev. H. C. Boblitt of the Christian church here in answer to letters sent out. The topic of the sermon last night was the "Ideal Husband," and numerous persons had expressed their opinions of what "he" should be as a husband.

The general trend of the thoughts were that an ideal husband would be one with the best of habits, and a man who was chivalrous, as well as a Christian gentleman.

One person said: "I would like to say to the young lady of high ideals and great ambitions who is contemplating marriage that whenever her friend comes to her with a woe-begone expression on his face and a pitiful story, that if it wasn't for her he would leave, the sooner you show him the door, with the words 'Get Thee Behind Me Satan,' the more happiness is in store for you."

Others were of the opinion that a model man was one who never sulked, and loved, respected and revered his wife. Another said that as Christ was the head of the church, so should man be the head of the family.

FIRST GAME TO BE PLAYED TONIGHT

Fast Players Will Take Part In Games of the Church League.

Tonight the first game in the church league recently formed will be played between the Washington Avenue Presbyterians and the Methodist Episcopal and a fast contest is looked for. The game will be played on the baseball grounds and is to begin at 6 o'clock.

It is understood that the teams are remarkably fast, and have some excellent players. The league is composed of teams from the following churches: M. E., Christian, Washington Avenue, Presbyterian, First Presbyterian, Episcopal and Lutheran. Owing to the fact of the fall of the Charleroi baseball team, this league will receive considerable attention. The Mail will keep a standing of the clubs, and devote some space to the games.

ANNUAL CONCERT OF PROF. KNOTTS

Local People Will Take Part in Affair to be Given in Pittsburg.

The annual concert of the students of Prof. Richard Knotts, of Pittsburg will be held on Friday evening of this week in the Carnegie Music Hall in Pittsburg. Among the soloists will be Mrs. James Schnelbach of Charleroi, Miss Cheerful Willoughby of Monongahela and Bingham Albright of Monongahela. Mrs. Schnelbach and Miss Willoughby are contraltos and Mr. Albright is a basso.

It was originally planned to hold the affair at the Rittenhouse, but by reason of a mistake whereby the Rittenhouse people are the losers, it will be held at the Carnegie Music Hall. It is thought this concert will surpass any ever held by the students of Prof. Knotts.

Yesterday in some of the Pittsburg newspapers were published portraits of the local people who will take part.

DARR MINE WILL START OPERATIONS

After Close Down of Several Months Will Re-open in Full.

The Darr Mine of the Pittsburg Coal company at Jacobs Creek, it has been announced, will start in full operation on July 1st. This will mean the employment of over 200 men.

The Darr mines have not been in operation since December 17, 1907, the time of the disastrous explosion at that place in which there were about 200 lives lost.

MRS. SPEELMAN SPEAKS HERE

Representative of Pittsburg Rescue Home Tells of Work.

Capt. Harriet Speelman, of the Salvation Army Rescue and Maternity Home at Bellevue, who delivered an address at the First Christian church last evening, has been secured by two other congregations for addresses this week. She will talk to the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church Thursday afternoon, and to the mothers and daughters of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, the same evening.

Her address at the First Christian church last night drew a large congregation and her description of the home and its work was listened to with interest.

OBSERVANCE OF CHILDREN'S DAY

Washington Avenue Presbyterian and Lutheran Have Interesting Programs.

Children's Day at the Christ Lutheran church last evening was attended by a large crowd. The program for the observance of the day was quite elaborate, and most beautifully rendered by the children, assisted by the choir.

The program consisted of recitations exercises and songs.

The Sunday School of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church last evening observed Children's Day, with a beautiful service by the children. The church was crowded by people anxious to see the performances of the little ones. A feature was the singing of the children's choir. The program consisted of exercises, recitations and songs. An interesting missionary exercise was given by a bevy of little girls, that proved one of the most pleasing features of the evening.

CHARLEROI BOYS MAY ENTER RACE

Arrangements Being Made by the Monessen Committee for Marathon.

From present indications there will be several entries from Charleroi in the Monessen Marathon race to be held at Electric Park, that place, on the afternoon of July 5th. There are a number of local boys training for the race, and needless to say they expect to finish well.

Everything is being put in the best of shape by the Monessen committee for the race, and if present plans work out, it will be a most auspicious event. Fine prizes have been offered for the winners of the race, the first and perhaps best being a building lot, valued at \$200.

Charles Fields and Carl Meyer spent

CHARLEROI BASEBALL CLUB THROWS UP ITS FRANCHISE

Foreigner Has Big Toe Cut Off By Train

Became Intoxicated And Stumbled in Way of Freight Train.

A foreigner whose name is unknown had one of his big toes taken off by a freight train near the Charleroi station on Saturday evening. The man was intoxicated and had stumbled in front of the train, which was south bound. Luckily he escaped death. A large crowd collected around the man when he was borne to a truck nearby, while the injury was dressed by a physician. The man was then taken to the Memorial Hospital at Monongahela.

PROMINENT MAN DIES

Joseph Cook of Belle Vernon Expires After Protracted Illness.

NATIVE OF THIS SECTION

Joseph Cook, 60 years old, died at his home at Belle Vernon this morning at about 5 o'clock. He had been sick since last January, and the malady that carried him off was thickening of the arteries. The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

being a great grandson of Col. Edward Cook of Revolutionary times, Mr. Cook was one of Belle Vernon's most prominent and progressive citizens. He was one of the organizers and first cashier of the First National Bank of Belle Vernon, and was also engaged in many other business enterprises. He had large holdings of coal lands which he sold in 1907 for an average price of \$1,200 an acre. He was also one of the organizers and president of the Westmoreland and Fayette Telephone company, an institution which covers a wide rural territory.

Mr. Cook is survived by a wife and eight children. One of his daughters is the wife of Prof. Bela Smith, principal of the Charleroi High School. Mr. Cook was widely known throughout this section and was highly esteemed by his neighbors and business associates.

Contest For Chairman.

There promises to be a spirited contest for county chairman at the Republican convention of delegates, which meets at Washington next Monday, June 28. The candidates thus far are R. G. Miller and B. E. McCracken. Isaac W. Baum, the present incumbent, is a candidate for secretary, as is also E. O. Micksell. The race will no doubt be a close one, and it would be difficult to forecast who will be the winners.

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve is good for cuts, burns and bruises and is especially good for piles. Refuse substitute. Sold by Piper Bros.

For The June Brides

If you desire to present an inexpensive gift to the bride a simple token of remembrance of the happy occasion, this store offers for your selection a host of beautiful and appropriate articles at small prices.

Sterling silver cutlery, cut glass, etc.

\$1.50 to \$5.00	\$5.00 to \$10.00
Bon Bon Dishes	Dozen Tea Spoons
Lockart Ware Sandwich Plate	Dozen Oyster Forks
Solid Spoon	Half Dozen Knives
Berry Spoon	Half Dozen Forks
Gold Metal Fork	Half Dozen Bullfinch Spoons
Caring Sets	Half Dozen Butter Spreads
Gravy Ladle	Pair Candle Sticks
Preserve Spoon	Oil Tray
Cut Glass Salad Bowl	Soup Ladle
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President Groninger Notified of Action on Saturday.

PLAYERS ARE PAID IN FULL

Likely That the Franchise Will be Turned Over to Parkersburg.

The directors of the Charleroi baseball club after continuing their team in the Pennsylvania and West Virginia league, since the opening of the season on May 4th, on Saturday threw up the sponge and notified President James Groninger that they did not desire to hold the franchise any longer. The players were paid in full and released unconditionally so far as Charleroi is concerned. The action did not come as any surprise to local people, who knew that the team had not been making expenses and was practically grounded. This was owing to the poor showing that has been made.

As soon as he heard of Charleroi's action in sending the players adrift, Groninger telegraphed Secretary Farrel of the National Commission to hold the players to their Charleroi contract. Groninger was in communication with Parkersburg people yesterday who have been anxious to secure a berth in the league, but up until late last night no decision had been made. Groninger is confident that another town can be secured to take the forfeited franchise.

Moundsville, W. Va., is also after the berth but the chances are in favor of Parkersburg. The Charleroi players will be given to the town that takes Charleroi's place in the league. The games which were postponed and will be played with the new team of the league on the next trip around the circuit.

The action taken Saturday by the directors was contemplated for some time which was the reason for the team not being strengthened. It is alleged that if the directors had taken the necessary steps at the beginning of the season and had secured a top notch team, affairs would not have been brought to such a disastrous close.

It was intimated that a team would be placed in the Monongahela Valley league, but this is being denied by the backers of baseball in this town. It would be hard to get a representation in that league at this time anyway. So professional baseball may be considered dead in Charleroi.

Notice.

The store of Leslie Campbell Co., the American Clothiers, located at 413 McKean avenue, Charleroi, Pa., has been officially named as headquarters at which to purchase Street Railway uniforms, Division 85, Amalgamated Association Street and Electric Railway employees of America.

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June 21 In American History.

1631—Captain John Smith, famous in Virginia settlement, died in London; born 1579.

1639—Increase Mather, famous New England preacher, died in Dorchester, Mass.; born 1723.

1789—New Hampshire ratified the United States constitution, the ninth state; thus insuring its adoption.

1893—Senator Leland Stanford, the California capitalist, died at Palo Alto, Cal.; born 1824.

1900—A force of American marines under Major Waller ambushed in the road from Taku to Tientsin; the American consulate at Tientsin destroyed by Boxers.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:25; moon sets 10:45 p. m.; 9 p. m., summer commences; summer solstice, sun farthest north; longest days, shortest nights.

Danger is Eminent.

A news article in the Pittsburg Dispatch this morning states that during the last few days no less than a dozen persons were attacked on the streets of Pittsburg and bitten by dogs. At the present time forty persons are being treated at the Pathological Institute in that city for dog bite, and the number is increasing. Yesterday two small children were bitten by a dog on Wylie avenue. The dog was killed and an examination of its head by Dr. Aime Leteue, of the Magee Pathological Institute at the Mercy Hospital, showed that it was suffering from rabies. Both victims are now taking the Pasteur treatment.

It is this danger that prompted the borough council to pass the dog muzzling ordinance, and to take steps toward its enforcement. The danger to the public from dogs is great, and the muzzling ordinance, is one of the wisest measures ever passed in council. Not every dog that goes about snapping at people may be mad, but the possible consequence of an apparently insignificant abrasion of the skin by contact with a mad dog's teeth are so terrifying that no risks should be taken. While council has employed an active dog catcher, there are many who are not observing the ordinance, and permit their dogs to run about unmuzzled. Yesterday a number of unmuzzled dogs were noticed running about the streets when crowds of people were going to and from church. Instead of anathematizing the dog catcher, the public should give him all possible encouragement. Every unmuzzled dog that runs at large is a menace.

Early Closing.

A movement is on foot among the Charleroi merchants to close their stores early during the summer season. The object is to give their clerks an opportunity to have their evenings off, as well as for the proprietors themselves to enjoy a little recreation and get acquainted with their families. For personal reasons the movement would be welcomed and on these grounds would meet with general approval.

For business reasons, however, some of the merchants expressed themselves as unwilling to enter upon such an agreement. A survey of the clothing stores developed this fact. Some agreed to do what the rest did, but others stated that they were in business to accommodate the trade, and that as a large portion of their business is from out of town, the only time people from a distance can come is evenings after they quit work. If such people have to take a day off to do their trading, they invariably go to Pittsburg, where they can combine a day's pleasure as well as do their shopping. By closing evenings, these merchants say, much trade is driven away from the town.

While it would be a good thing for the merchants themselves and their clerks, some of the former feel that business conditions do not warrant such a proceeding, and expressed themselves as unwilling to enter into an early closing movement.

County Expenses.

The Washington Observer is very much concerned these days over the commissions received by some of the county officials—the treasurer, for example—the pay of the assessors, and the county expenses in general. This is a commendable spirit, but the Observer is rather late in applying it. Had it, as the chief organ of the Republican party in the county, as well as of the central political power, exhibited the same solicitude three or four years ago the county would not be carrying such a burden of debt as it now has, and county taxation would no doubt be at a lower rate than at present.

From authentic documents published by the Citizens' Committee that headed the revolt against Mr. Acheson in 1905, it was shown that Washington county paid more for clerk hire in the commissioners' office than many of the counties double its size in population; that the finances were juggled by overdrawing the tax funds and paying large sums for interest to banks for temporary loans for annual deficits. There was also the "indexing job," the \$6,000 paid for publishing the auditors' statement which was this year published for \$800; the "bug poison" item, and last but not least the first section of eight-foot Flinn roads constructed at \$13,000 a mile. In that job contracts were let separately, and it is said contractors got double pay by the cubic yard for taking the earth from a cut and dumping it a few yards distant into a fill. All this is recent history, and when the Taxpayers' League protested, it was anathematized by the Observer, who defended all these extravagances, and characterized as "soreheads," "kickers," and political renegades" those who dared to stand out against the county dictator. But for the burden of debt saddled on the county by the old Acheson regime county taxation today would be at a minimum.

Electric Sparks

"Where there's a will there's a way" may be applicable in most cases, but politics is an exception.

The Fayette City school board were evidently from Missouri—wanted to be shown—in regards to the debt which they owed the local board. Guess we showed 'em, didn't we?

A man was seen going down street the other day wearing a big, heavy overcoat. Whether he had just come the South and thought it was cold up here, or just a Charleroi baseball fan trying to make believe that winter had put an end to the agony, is not known.

If some of the persons entered from this place in the Monessen Marathon race does not win, we don't know but what we shall be forced to disclaim them.

Another one of these Spanish letters has been received in Charleroi, the originator of which is trying a dog brick game. He evidently must think this place is an easy mark.

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HELPED THE CABMAN.

But Not Because He Had Driven Miles Years Before.

A very old man once called to see Lord Stratheona at his offices and explained as the reason of his visit that he was the cabman who drove him to his ship when he set sail for Canada long years before.

Lord Stratheona was interested in this reminiscence of his youth and listened to the ancient jehu when he went on in a tearful voice to complain that death had just deprived him of one of two grandsons and that he himself had fallen on evil times.

Lord Stratheona soothed the old fellow's sorrows with a little money.

Again, after a time, the old man called on Lord Stratheona and this time told him that both his grandsons were down with typhoid fever and, as Lord Stratheona had helped him before, perhaps he would again. After some gossiping chat about Scotland Lord Stratheona again comforted the old man with a little money.

When he had gone an official who had overheard the conversation said: "I hope you did not give that man any money, Lord Stratheona. When he saw you before one of his two grandsons was dead. Now he says both are ill with typhoid fever."

"Thank you very much, Mr. Jones," said the high commissioner, with a twinkle in his eye, "but do you know when I left Scotland for Canada I had no cab to take me to the ship, but just wheeled down my things myself to the dock in a barrow."—London Tit-Bits.

A SECRET SIGNAL.

The Tailor's Comment While Measuring a Customer.

"Did you ever notice how the tailors while measuring a man for a suit of clothes mix in a few letters occasionally among the numbers?" asked a downtown lawyer recently of a friend. "Whenever I have been measured for a suit of clothes the tailor always said S. B. L. in a subdued voice as he took the measure for the length of my trousers. I often wondered what this secret signal meant and on one occasion made so bold as to ask, but was put aside in some casual way, which plainly showed me that the tailor did not wish me to know the meaning of the mysterious S. B. L."

"Well, I never knew what these letters meant until one day not long ago, when I stumbled across the solution quite by accident. I was waiting to have my measure taken while a strapping big fellow was on the rack. As he measured the length of the trousers leg the tailor said, '33, S. B. L.'"

"Yes," came back the reply from the big fellow, "and bowlegged too." "All these years tailors have been accusing me of being 'slightly bowlegged,' and I had never caught on until I was practically told the answer in the accidental way."—Philadelphia Record.

Books.

God be thanked for books! They are the voices of the distant and the dead and make us heirs of the spiritual life of past ages. Books are true levelers. They give to all who will faithfully use them the society, the spiritual presence, of the best and greatest of our race. No matter how poor I am, no matter though the prosperous of my own time will not enter my obscure dwelling, if the sacred writers will enter and take up their abode under my roof—if Milton will cross my threshold to sing to me of paradise, and Shakespeare to open to me the world of imagination and the workings of the human heart, and Franklin to enrich me with his practical wisdom—I shall not pine for want of intellectual companionship, and I may become a cultivated man, though excluded from what is called the best society in the place where I live.—William Ellery Channing.

Result of Poor Writing.

The Duke of Wellington, through misreading a badly written letter, made a ludicrous blunder. This letter was written by C. J. London, a botanical author, who wrote to the duke requesting the privilege of seeing his beautiful beeches. The duke misread the signature for that of C. J. Bloomfield, bishop of London, and wrote in reply: "My lord, I shall always be glad to see you at Strattonfieldsay, and my servant shall show you as many pairs of my breeches as you may choose to inspect. But what you want to see them for is quite beyond me."—Exchange.

An Easy One.

"You imagine you know a lot about Biblical things," said the scoffer. "Suppose you tell me who Cain's wife was."

"That's easy," rejoined the old deacon. "She was Adam's daughter-in-law."—Detroit Free Press.

System.

"I'm afraid I can't write that article on 'System.'"

"Why not?"

"I can't find my notes."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

One Would Have Done.

Nurse—I wish to tell you, sir, that you have just become the father of triplets!

Nooper—Oh, this is two too much!—New York Life.

Settled.

Uncle Zeb (looking over bill of fare)—Henry, how do you order hog and hominy at a first class restaurant? City Nephew—You don't, uncle.—Chicago Tribune.

COPY GOOD MODELS.

Use Judgment in the Choice of Gown You Select.

While the woman in moderate circumstances often follows slavishly the mandate of her dressmaker, the woman of wealth is fortunate in being able to choose masterpieces, creations with lines so charming, or unusual and touches so smart that it is utterly impossible to copy them without taking the original to pieces as a child does a toy, to find out how it is made. Then it is doubtful if the ordinary dressmaker would ever be able to put them together again.

The best the woman of moderate means can do who wishes to be modestly clothed with touches of originality about her costumes is to study the fashions of the fashionable fair, to closely scan the pages of the best fashion journals and to watch costumes approaching these shown in the smart shops as models.

If unable to purchase these latter, she may, with the use of good judgment and a good memory, aided and abetted by the journals, enable a plain, everyday dressmaker of the sort sewing at home to evolve a really smart and becoming gown.

One must, however, always be certain of what is and what is not likely to be worn three months after the gown is made, and as much attention must be paid to the details as to the general design and the materials of which it is composed.

It is curious to note the absence of judgment in gowning displayed by many women, and this is seen even in the most fashionable classes.

The probability is that if this class were not subservient to the dictates of designers the results would be no better than in other classes, and certain it is that, even with all their advantages of ability to compare and to purchase anything within reason and to see the fashions at the start, many curious and unbecoming and also dowdy gowns are found among them.

Not all women are gifted with good taste, and often a love of the merely ornamental or the merely useful or comfortable carried to extremes will ruin a woman's costume.

A LAUGH FESTE.

When Grownups Can Be Children Again Just For a Night.

An evening of laughter is a good thing. It clears away the cobwebs left by work in office or at home and straightens out features rendered set and congested by too much serious thought. A good way to have such an evening is to give a children's party. Send out invitations written on note paper with a colored picture in one corner of each. Have them read in something like the following manner: "Miss Bessie Brown and Master Billie Brown will give a party on Tuesday, August 9, 1909, at 8 o'clock sharp, and they would like much to have Miss Sallie Sardy and Master Sammie Sardy come. Kindly dress as you dressed when you were a 'couple of kids.'"

An invitation of this sort results naturally in everybody appearing in costumes which render them just as ridiculous as they possibly could look. No matter what form of entertainment may have been arranged, the evening is sure to be a success, for there could not possibly be the slightest formality. The evening is bound to be one of hilarity from beginning to end and one which will be remembered with pleasure by all present. The refreshments should be served on long, low kindergarten tables. A candy pull may be introduced with great success, or any games that were favorites when the people at the party were children will be sure to be enjoyed.

Common Sense in Kitchen.

"Women cook very much as they walk. She of the light, springing step gives a 'touch and go' to her cooking and turns out delicious things. She is deft and quick. She has time to think for herself. Remembering her copybook," she reads, her documents before signing, which means that she accepts no recipe blindly, but investigates before adopting.

When proportions seem reasonable and the combination sounds attractive, even if novel, she tries it, for she loves to experiment.

No one told her—she just found out for herself—that eggs scrambled in a double boiler are far and away ahead of those done in a pan.

By the way, she never insults the digestion of the family by making "toast" over a flame, serving it burned black outside, soft and "waddy" inside. Instead she uses a gas toaster or the oven, and feeds them on slices crisp, brown and tender.

She found out all by herself the very best way to pan broil a chop. It is even better than using a broiler. She reasoned that the fat that tries out as the chop cooks keeps too high a temperature and spoils the meat, so she drains off this fat every once in a while and presents a chop juicy, tender and browned just right.

To Keep Knives Clean.

A table may be beautifully set and decorated, but unless the knives are in good condition the general appearance will be spoiled.

The blades of the knives should be cleaned with soft flannel.

If they are a little rusty, use wood ashes rubbed on a piece of cut piece of Irish potato. This will remove spots when nothing else will.

Never clip the ivory handles in hot water, as the heat turns them yellow.

Keep the best set, which is only used for company, in a box, wrapped first in tissue paper, then a covering of linen. This will keep out the dust and dampness.

SHE LET HIM GO.

A Story of a Father's and Daughter's Obsession.

By SHIELA ESTHER DUNN.

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"Goodby, Nan. I'm tired of loafing around the daughter of a man who has lots of money."

"Dad's money's mine too. I can manage him."

"Not much it isn't. He'll cut you off with a shilling if you marry me. He's a very determined man."

"And I'm a very determined girl."

"What shall I do?"

"Go ask dad."

"I haven't the check—not even funds enough for a marriage fee."

"I'll go with you."

We went to the old man together. If I hadn't felt her hand on my own—it was steady as a rock—I should have collapsed. Strange, too, since I got a promotion in the Spanish war. A current of force running through my arm into my body enabled me to say it all.

"No," growled the old man when I had finished.

"I'm going to marry him anyway, dad," said Nan.

"If you do you'll not get a cent of my money."

"You'll think better of it some time."

"You think so? I tell you by all that's holy if you marry that galoot I put my money into a hospital."

He brought his fist down on the table with such force as to upset a pitcher standing on it, the pitcher breaking on the floor.

"And I tell you, dad, you won't do any such thing."

With that she turned and marched me away. I felt like a dummy, and I was one. I'd simply talked like a phonograph wound by Nan. The struggle was between the father and daughter. I had nothing to do with it. I was simply engaged to a girl who had a battle to fight.

They lived together after that, as before, and I could see no evidence of bitterness in either or any disposition of either to yield. I felt very despondent about the matter, because Nan was determined to force her father to consent to our marriage and wouldn't marry me without that consent. I wanted her to give up the money or give up me. She would do neither.

When I spoke of the former she said: "What do you take me for? Dad's got a couple of hundred thousand and nobody to use it but me. I've got too much common sense for that."

"Well, then, I'm going to—"

"Oh, come, now, don't talk like a fool! Be sensible. Leave it to me."

A fellow who had always looked upon girls to be petted and cuddled and managed, wasn't likely to be pleased with this way of putting it, and I grumbled. But somehow I didn't have the sand to break with Nan, and away down in my heart I knew that if she was to marry me, who had never laid up a cent, she was right in her position. Of husband and wife the one having the right way will always lead. Nan and I weren't married, but she was so strong willed and practical that there was no more romance between us than if we had been married ten years.

But I was a man and had been a soldier. The time came when I was ripe for mutiny. One morning I told Nan that I wouldn't stand in such a contemptible position any longer. She wouldn't marry me and live on my small salary, and she wouldn't consent to a breaking of our engagement. I proposed to go to her father and tell him that I was out of the squabble.

"Don't make a fool of yourself," said Nan. "He'll only laugh at you."

Paying no attention to the warning, I hustled off to find the old man.

"Mr. Sprigman," I said, "I have arrived at the conclusion that your daughter is wrong and you are right about this proposed marriage. I have come to tell you that I don't want her with your fortune so long as she won't marry me without it."

"Making a virtue of necessity, eh?" he sneered.

"I don't mean it that way. I mean—"

"I told Nan she was trying to marry a fool."

"I may be a fool, but I'll not remain in this position any longer."

"You won't have to."

"Have to? Of course I won't. I'm a free man."

"Oh, don't talk bosh!"

"I don't understand you."

"Young man, since Nan's crazy enough to want you, don't you go through life with her balking her. You won't be able to talk her any way, though you're trying to do it now. She's the only person I ever met who had a stronger will than mine, and that's saying a good deal, considering the obstinate women in the world. You think you're going to shake her, do you? In that event I want you to understand I'm with her. She's worth twenty such as you, but if she wants you she's got to have you. I consent to the marriage. Now, get away from her if you can."

Nan must have been listening, for she opened the door, came in, went to her father and put her arms around his neck.

"Dear old dad," she said, "I knew you'd stand by me when the time came. And I knew you'd find out in time that Dick is a real manly sort of fellow."

"Rats!" said the father, caressing her. "You've done the business yourself. You sent him to me knowing it would drive me in the opposite direction. Besides, you wanted to give me an excuse to back down."

"I didn't send him, dad, but I let him go."

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METERY OF MARS.

Unsolvable Problem, Is There Life on the Planet?

Planet so old as Mars and so far in the process of life extension that the conditions of life would be almost unrecognizable and only a highly intellectual and scientifically developed race could understand and master them. The engineering skill and constructive capacity to control the annual floods from the poles, store the waters and build the thousands of miles of huge canals would require scientific knowledge beyond that possessed by us at the present time and financial resources in excess of those we have yet accumulated. The nation that finds the digging of a little ditch at Panama so great a task would be helpless in the face of such a problem as these thousands of miles of Martian canals. If, indeed, canals they be. Yet, in view of the greater life age of Mars, such higher intelligence would be natural in the regular process of development, assuming that it has ever been the abode of intellectual life.

Scientists are in the main in a receptive state on this subject. They are not ready to admit that the existence of life on that planet has been proved. They do not deny it, but call for greater proof than a plausible theory. Among others than scientists there is in the main a disposition not to accept the Martian human life theory or the theory of life on any of the thousands of spheres that wheel and glister in illimitable space. They seem to think that such a theory conflicts with religion and dwarfs man and his importance in the scheme of creation.

This seems to be a very narrow view to take, since it appears to set bounds upon the infinite power and creative desires of the Almighty, whose great scheme of mortal and immortal life is not necessarily confined to a single planet or the few billions of human beings who are born and die upon it. As to dwarfing the importance of man, a few billions more added to the billions on earth would make little difference. Man is at best a small and insignificant creature, but if embracing wisdom, power and love takes solicitude note of him it would be limiting those infinite qualities to say that one planet must be his abiding place. Therefore the question of human intelligence on Mars or any other planet of the solar system or the other great systems in remote space should be purely and simply a scientific one, to be accepted as true only when proved, but not to be rejected through sentiment or for any other reason whatever except lack of proof.—St. Louis Star.

THE PLAIN OF GUINNES.

Its Transformation Into the Field of the Cloth of Gold.

It was a magnificent display when Henry VIII, of England and Philip I, of France met in good fellowship on the plain of Guines.

The king's retinue had been selected from the nobles of the kingdom. Wolsey, with his 300 followers, headed the escort and was followed by dukes, earls, barons, bishops and knights, with their retainers. The escort numbered 4,000 horsemen, not including the queen's escort, numbering nearly 2,000 persons and 800 horses. The French king had an equally splendid retinue. King Henry and his great cavalcade were taken, on arrival at Guines, to the magnificent palace provided by Wolsey. There was an old palace there, and Wolsey had established himself in that and erected one for his king. The palace was the most beautiful place imaginable. It had so many glazed windows that it looked as though built of crystal, and much of the woodwork, both inside and out, was covered with gold. All the way from the gate to the door were rows of silver statues. Inside the walls of the chambers and halls were hung with magnificent tapestry embroidered in gold, and the ceilings were draped with white silk.

But Henry was not to spend all of his time in his new palace, for tents had been erected on the plain, and in these the two kings and their suits were to lodge. The tents of the French king were pitched just outside the walls of the town of Ardres and extended almost to the tents of King Henry.

The tents in which the two queens were lodged were covered with cloth of gold, as were also the tents of the ladies in attendance upon them and of all members of the royal families. The effect was dazzling. Beautiful pavilions, hung with cloth of gold, dotted the plain; banners floated everywhere; fountains of wine spouted in the bright June sunshine; horses, decorated with glittering ribbons, pranced about gayly. So gorgeous had the dreary plain been made that it has become known in history as the "Field of the Cloth of Gold."

Worked It Off.

Just what may happen to a man who isn't strictly honest was illustrated on a street car a few days ago. A man handed the conductor a dollar and asked for a strip of tickets. He received his five tickets, and then the conductor fumbled around for change and managed to make a "mistake." He handed the man two half dollars instead of 75 cents. The man put away the money without saying a word and in a couple of minutes worked his way to the front of the car and got off. "Say, conductor," said an interested observer, "did you know you didn't give that man the right change?" The conductor smiled complacently. "That's all right," he said. "If he'd been honest and returned that bad half dollar I'd have given him a good quarter for it. I've been trying to get rid of that piece of money for a week. I guess he deserved to get stung."—Pittsburgh Record.

A Modern Miracle.

"I caused the dumb to speak today." "How was that?"

"I was stopped in the street by a beggar with a 'I Am Dumb and Dumb' placard on his breast, and when I expressed the opinion that he was an impostor he immediately recovered his speech and in vigorous Anglo-Saxon requested me to go to—us place that the new theology tells us doesn't exist and mind my own business and shut mind his!"—New York Times.

A LEPROSY TRAGEDY. WORSHIP THE SHARKS

The Sacrifice of Kaomouna, the Hawaiian Beauty.

HER LIFE FOR HER MOTHER.

A Story Which Sheds a Bright Light Upon the Filial Devotion of Kanaka Women—The Reason a Baby's Advances Were Not Returned.

The usual Honolulu crowd was down at the dock when the steamship from San Francisco pulled alongside the pier on a brilliant, balmy afternoon in January some years ago. American women in summer afternoon costumes, a few English and a few German women of society, arrayed also for streamer day, leaned back languorously in their carriages and phaetons, under the shade of parasols, listening to the lazy complimentary talk of the duck clad, lei entwined young business men who combined duty with pleasure in thus waiting for the great steamer to slip laboriously into her measured berth beside the pier.

All of the Kanaka women had bare feet. They stood about in little groups as silent as the men of their race. A few of the Kanaka women carried tiny brown babies—silent also. The young women were of varying degrees of beauty, their figures showing a uniform excellence of proportion.

One of these Kanaka women at the dock on this brilliant January afternoon was particularly beautiful. She was clad like the rest of the women of her race. She was fully five feet ten inches in height, and the white silk cord with which, unlike the other Kanaka women, she drew her white dress about her waist emphasized the splendid heroic proportions of her figure. Kaomouna seemed quite unconscious of her beauty. The young shipping clerks, hurrying to and fro on the dock with their pencils behind their ears, stopped suddenly when they caught sight of her. The women in the carriages, who had let been long down from the States or from Europe, saw Kaomouna and asked the women of longer Honolulu residence, "Who is that glorious creature?" Kaomouna, with a very sad face, spoke only an occasional word to one of the Kanaka women.

The steamship was made fast to the pier, and the passengers began to troop over the gangplank. There was one man with his pretty young wife and three-year-old little girl. The little girl was the first to catch sight of Kaomouna as she reached the bottom of the gangway. She quickly freed her hand from her father's grasp and ran toward Kaomouna with baby words. Kaomouna smiled at the little girl, but did not offer to take her up. Instead she folded her arms, looking down at the little pink faced child pleasantly. When the mother had taken the little girl she raised her eyes to look at Kaomouna.

"Did you ever in your whole life see such a perfectly beautiful woman?" asked the young wife of her husband in a whisper when he came up. "And Tita seemed to take to her immediately. If we could only have her for a nurse for Tita!"

Kaomouna heard her. "Kaomouna would love to be that," she replied in a soft Kanaka accented speech, smiling. Then a look of pain came into her face. "But it may not be—it may not be!" And, with her hands at her eyes, Kaomouna turned suddenly and disappeared among the departing men and women of her race.

Three months later the parents of the little girl were at the dock together to witness for the first time the saddest of sights—the departure of the lepers for the island of Molokai. The Kilanea Hou, the leper steamer, was out in the stream, and the lepers were being carried out to her in barges. A litter was borne through the roped inclosure for the lepers. On it lay a very old Kanaka woman in the dual stages of the disease. At the side of the litter walked Kaomouna. Her face was very sad. The parents of the little girl wondered. They spoke to an official of the Hawaiian board of health, who was busy in the task of embarking the lepers.

"Surely," they said, "she does not accompany the lepers?"

"Who—Kaomouna?" replied the health official. "Oh, yes, she does. But it is her own choice. Kaomouna, you know, has been secreting her old mother for a number of years. We always knew there was something mysterious about Kaomouna—that is, we have known it for the last five years. She had made queer visits to a palm hut far over in the Nuuanu valley. Last week we followed her. We felt there was leprosy in it. We found her mother in the hut. Kaomouna had had her in hiding, trying to save her from Molokai, ever since the disease became evident. Kaomouna is not infected in the least. She has been careful. But she elects to follow her mother to Molokai. Extraordinary. Why, not at all! You do not understand the filial devotion of Kanaka women—men, too, for that matter. Such cases are common enough."

The parents of the little girl looked at each other. There were tears in the mother's eyes.

"That is why she folded her arms and would not touch Tita!" she said. "In this world of God, civilized or uncivilized, could there be anything more noble?"

All was ready, and the Kilanea Hou, with Kaomouna and her mother on board, slowly started down the harbor, the Kanakas on the dock setting up the weird, plaintive death wail.

South Sea Islanders Fear Them as the Abode of Ghosts.

HOLD SOULS OF THEIR DEAD.

The Natives Offer Gifts and Food, Sometimes Human, to Appease the Man Eaters—The Hawaiians Used to Feed Their Dead to the Monsters.

In view of the wide distribution of sharks and their strength and ferocity, qualities which appealed to the savage mind, it is not strange that the cult of shark worship should have arisen. This worship is especially common in the south seas, where sharks are very numerous, says the Detroit Free Press.

In the Solomon Islands living sacred objects are chiefly sharks, alligators, snakes, etc. Sharks are in all these islands very often thought to be the abode of ghosts, as natives will at times before their death announce that they will appear as sharks. Afterward any shark remarkable for size or color which is observed to haunt a certain shore or rock is taken to be some one's ghost, and the name of the deceased is given to it.

Such a one was Sautalimutawa at Ulawa, a dreaded man eater, to which offerings of porpoise teeth were made. At Saa certain food, such as coconuts from certain trees, is reserved to feed such a ghost shark, and there are certain men of whom it is known that after death they will be in sharks. These, therefore, are allowed to eat such food in the sacred place. In Saa and Ulawa if a sacred shark had attempted to seize a man and he had escaped the people would be so much afraid of the shark's anger that they would throw the man back in the sea to be drowned. These sharks also were thought to aid in catching the bonito, for taking which supernatural power was necessary.

In the Banks Islands a shark may be a tangaroa, a sort of familiar spirit or the abode of one. Some years ago Manurwar, son of Maia, the chief man in Vauva, Lava, had such a shark. He had given money to a Maivao man to send it to him. It was very tame and would come up to him when he went down to the beach at Nawono and follow along in the surf as he walked along the shore. In the New Hebrides some men have the power, the natives believe, of changing themselves into sharks.

The Samoan native believed that his gods appeared in some visible incarnation, and the particular thing in which it was in the habit of appearing was to him an object of veneration. Many worshipped the shark in this way, and while they would freely partake of the gods of others they felt that death would be the penalty should they eat their own god. The god was supposed to avenge the insult by taking up his abode in the offender's body and causing to generate there the very thing which he had eaten until it produced death. In one village, Taema, the war god, was present in a bundle of shark's teeth. These curiosities were done up in a piece of native cloth and consulted before going to battle. If the bundle felt heavy that was a bad omen, but if light the sign was good, and off they went to the fight.

In the Fiji Islands, Viava and other gods claim the shark as their abode, and their devotees must never eat of that fish, for if they did they would be partaking of the god himself.

It was in the Hawaiian Islands, however, that shark worship reached its greatest perfection. Its worship was quite common on the Islands, each one having a special shark as his ancestral god. The worship of sharks was due largely to the fact that the belief in the transmigration of souls is quite general among the Polynesians, and the Hawaiians would feed their dead to the sharks under the supposition that in this way the soul of the dead would enter the sharks and so animate the latter as to incline them to respect the bodies of the living.

Several of the African coast tribes worship the shark. Three or four times in the year they celebrate the festival of the shark, which is done in this wise: They all row out in their boats to the middle of the river, where they invoke, with the strangest ceremonies, the protection of the great shark. They offer to him poultry and goats in order to satisfy his sacred appetite. But this is nothing. An infant is every year sacrificed to the monster, which has been feted and nourished for the sacrifice from its birth to the age of ten. On the day of the feast it is bound to a post on a sandy point at low water. As the tide rises the child may utter cries of terror, but they are of no avail, as it is abandoned to the waves, and the sharks soon arrive to finish its agony and thus permit it to enter into heaven.

The Polynesians have an ancient fable treating of the flight of Ina, the daughter of Vaitoringa and Ngaeta, to the sacred isle. After the sole dumped her at the edge of the breakers with such disastrous results to herself from the angry princess the latter summoned the shark and by its help succeeded in reaching the sacred island. Feeling thirsty during the voyage, Ina cracked a coconut on the shark's forehead, and this accounts for the bump now found on the forehead of all sharks.

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Mrs. Hiram Faulk left today for Adrian Mich., where she will spend two weeks with friends and relatives.

Jesse Richey went to Uniontown Saturday for a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shanks of North-CharleROI spent yesterday in Fayette City with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Orange are spending the day in Pittsburg with friends.

Bruce Barnett and C. S. McKean returned this morning from a two weeks' trip to the West. Their itinerary included Salt Lake City, Colorado Springs and Denver.

Mrs. D. E. Sloan left this morning for Pittsburg where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Duvall is spending the day in Donora with friends.

D. C. Whitlatch spent Sunday in Verona with relatives and friends.

Henry and Thomas McDermott were in Pittsburg yesterday to visit their brother at the Mercy Hospital, where he is undergoing treatment.

Miss Ruth Worchester of Homestead spent Sunday in CharleROI with friends.

Russell Blythe was a Sunday afternoon visitor in Donora.

Arthur K. Odbert was an over Sunday visitor in Brownsville with friends.

Mrs. Julia McGowan and daughter, Miss Jane, were CharleROI visitors from Pittsburg over Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. L. Roberts of Pittsburg visited her sister, Mrs. E. C. Niver today.

J. E. Abell and wife of California spent Sunday with their son, Edgar, at his home at 50 Crest avenue.

Thomas Mosier, a student at W. and J. College, is home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. C. C. Hurst of Clarksburg, W. Va., returned to her home Monday after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. N. R. Fields.

LOCAL DIRECTORY

The Summer School. Washington and Jefferson College.

Opens on Monday, June 28th. The summer session is open to both sexes. Courses offered in subjects preparatory to college and to county and borough examination. Special courses have been prepared, also for advanced students in ancient and modern languages, and in higher mathematics. Illustrated bulletin sent on request to Prin. Jas. N. Rule, Washington, Pennsylvania. 26655t

Normal Commencement.

All arrangements for commencement week at the California Normal have been completed and beginning next Sunday, and lasting until Tuesday evening, there will be many visitors to the school town. The commencement begins with the baccalaureate sermon next Sunday. A strong feature of the exercises this year will be the music.

A Cowboy Spider.

"Faking aside," said the nature student, "there is in New Zealand a cowboy spider. This creature throws a coil of web like a lasso over its prey's head, then adds more and more coils and when the prey is bound hand and foot devours it."

"There is a Borneo spider that in the spring days plays a fiddle. It is a common thing for a lovesick spider to dance before his art, but this Borneo boy drawing his arm across his tum, produces a sweet, clear note. Whenever he sees a good looking young lady spider he stops and gives her a tune, hoping to win her by music."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Miners' Freedom From Cancer.

"Miners never have cancer. In thirty-five years' practice in a mining town I haven't had a single cancerous patient."

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The physician smiled grimly.

"Miners," he said, "die young. Cancer is an old age disease. And there really is the reason of the miner's cancerous immunity."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Coal Bids.

Bids will be received by the Secretary of School Board for furnishing and delivering 1000 bushels more or less of run of mine coal at the four different school buildings. All bids must be in on or before the first day of July 1909. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

IRA L. NICKERSON, Secretary.

CharleROI, Pa., June 18, 1909.

Sewer Notice.

Bids will be received by the Borough Clerk for furnishing the Borough Sewer Pipe and Cement for one year. All bids to be in on or before July 6, 1909. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

IRA L. NICKERSON, Borough Clerk.

CharleROI, Pa., June 18, 1909.

A FAMOUS PLAYHOUSE

Old Drury Lane Has Outlived Many Vicissitudes.

A PHENIX AMONG THEATERS.

London's Home of Pantomime Has Been the Scene of Many Conflagrations—Attacks Upon Royalty Within Its Walls—The "Rejected Addresses."

On the night of Feb. 24, 1800, as the house of commons was engaged upon a rather important debate, sundry of the members observed through the windows a faint red glow which eventually became so alarming in its intensity as to interfere with the orderly course of the discussion. It was not long before the news ran round the benches that Drury Lane theater was alight, and so great was the general concern at what was considered almost a national disaster that a motion was made to adjourn the sitting. Sheridan, however, as Moore tells us in his life of the great orator, immediately expressed the hope—with an air of detachment that did him the greatest credit, considering his position as principal shareholder in the theater—that "whatever might be the extent of the present calamity it would not interfere with the public business of the country." That his courage was not daunted by so serious a personal disaster was proved by the fact that he reopened a week later at the Lyceum.

The destruction of "The Lane"—the third building since its foundation in 1663—was one of seven familiar disasters to London theaters in twenty years; but, whatever else happened, Drury Lane must be rebuilt. Nor was the decision on the part of the proprietors unbusinesslike. In the least degree, for Horace Walpole, under the date of 1751, tells us how on the day appointed for the nationalization bill "the house of commons adjourned to attend at Drury Lane, where 'Othello' was acted by a Mr. Debanal and his family."

Drury Lane has passed through many vicissitudes in the course of its existence. The first building was very unfavorably described by Pepys, who writes of the discomfort caused by rain that found its way through the roof and drenched the occupants of the pit and also the bad acoustic qualities of the place. Fire put an end to these inconveniences in 1672. The second theater, which was designed by Wren and opened in 1674, had a much longer life, but was on two occasions the scene of attempts upon the royal family. In 1716 Freeman tried to shoot the Prince of Wales, who afterward became King George II., and in 1800 George III. was the victim of a similar unsuccessful attack at the hands of a lunatic. It was this same building which, as Walpole relates in one of his letters, was the scene of a lively disturbance in 1744, when an attempt was made to introduce pantomime for the first time. So great has been the change of popular sentiment on this point since that far off date that today winter in London without pantomime at Drury Lane is almost incredible.

The third building, which was opened in 1794, came to an untimely end, as we have seen, in 1800, and the inauguration of its successor three years later was marked by an event of considerable literary importance. The managers of the theater, being desirous of giving their new venture a good send-off, invited the public to submit to competition suitable prologues, the prize poem to have the honor of being publicly recited from the stage upon the day of opening. A host of writers, including many of the best known names in contemporary literature, responded to the invitation, and this fact fortunately suggested to two brothers, James and Horace Smith, who were beginning to acquire a reputation in the world of letters, the notion of publishing anonymously a collection of prologues parodying the styles of various living writers of repute. As it was necessary that the little volume should be issued in time for the opening of the theater, the authors were compelled to complete their task in six weeks, but it is doubtful whether the quality of the work suffered much on this account. Indeed, in the preface to the eighteenth edition, published in 1833, it is suggested that the parodies gained rather than lost in effectiveness by being struck off, as it were, at a white heat.

The success of "The Rejected Addresses" was immediate and lasting. The two brothers found that they had leaped into fame at a bound, and the famous authors whom they had so successfully held up to kindly ridicule expressed their astonishment at the accuracy with which their peculiarities of style and expression had been reproduced. It was a notable achievement. Byron, whose prologue won the prize and was delivered in due course on the Drury Lane stage, writing to Murray, expressed his appreciation of the little volume that had made such a stir in the world and in a second letter told him that he liked it "better and better." Jeffrey in 1843 wrote that he took "The Rejected Addresses" to be the very best imitations (and often of difficult originals) that ever were made. But perhaps the comment which pleased the authors the most was that of a Lincolnshire clergyman (quoted in the preface of 1833) to the effect that he did not see why they should have been rejected. Indeed, he thought some of them very good. The reverend gentleman displayed "a plentiful lack" of humor in this pronouncement, but there will be few even today to quarrel with his judgment.—London Globe

LOCAL DIRECTORY

CHERUBS LOSE FINAL GAME

(Continued from First Page.)

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Morgan, m.	3	1	1	4	0	0
Elliott, s.	4	0	0	4	2	1
Knically, r.	4	0	0	3	1	0
Conway, r.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Makepiece, c.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Humphries.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Smith, l.	4	0	1	8	0	0
Urban, p.	4	0	1	0	3	0
Michaels, s.	3	0	1	0	4	0
Totals.	33	1	6	27	10	1
CharleROI	1	0	0	0	0	0
Grafton.	0	0	0	0	5	0

Two base-hits—Zinn, Rothermel. Three-base hits—Hinton, Smith. Sacrifice hits—Makepiece, B. Raley, Gainer, Zinn. Stolen bases—Zinn. Bases on balls—Off Michaels 3, off Raley 3. Home run, Morgan. Umpire—Featheringham.

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Senator Oliver and Congressman Tener have already made themselves heard throughout the country by reason of their vigorous defense of the protective duties on certain articles of American manufacture produced in the Pittsburgh district. Senator Oliver in particular has achieved National fame through his intelligent observations before the committee on the subject of the iron and steel industry. Congressman Tener has also been heard to advantage in behalf of several important items that give Western Pennsylvania still industrial prestige.—Washington Observer.

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Mrs. Simon Rider and little son, William are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner of Rimersburg, Pa.

Mrs. Frank Hopewell, who is suffering with cancer of the face, is some better.

Miss Allie Harrison, who is spending the summer with Mrs. Isaac Morris, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison, near CharleROI.

Miss Vada Rider was the guest of her cousin, Miss Hazel Rider, near Fallowfield school house, the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Ellis N. Allman, Mrs. Charles Reed and Mrs. Hannah Cooper are visiting relatives in Ohio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carson and children of Eighty-Four visited at the home of Mrs. Carson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carson.

Mrs. Ruth Duvall near Coal Centre spent last week with her sister-in-law Mrs. Maragret Richards.

Mrs. Herbert Moninger and two children of Cincinnati, Ohio, are spending the summer at the home of Mrs. Moninger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cooper.

Mrs. Martha Duvall of Woods Run spent last week at the home of William Winnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Duvall arrived home Sunday from Buffalo, N. Y., where she had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elberhardt for several weeks.

Miss Mary Robison of California and Mrs. John Rider of Lover visited at the home of Van Robison Monday.

Mrs. Isaac Morris was a guest of her son, Clyde Morris, near Monongahela Thursday.

Miss Anna Keemp of Ohio spent a part of this week with Miss Elizabeth Carson.

Mrs. Thomas Duvall and Mrs. Elaine Duvall visited Mrs. Ira Duvall of CharleROI Friday.

Mrs. Charles Scott and daughter, Mayselle were calling on friends at Bentleyville Wednesday.

H. J. Carson is repairing his barn with a new wall.

Ralph Wheeler of Uniontown was an over Sunday visitor in CharleROI with friends.

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Borough Engineer is Instructed to Prepare an Ordinance for Lincoln Avenue.

The Charleroi council will stand behind the dog catcher of this place in the performance of his duties. No interference will be tolerated with him, any more than with any other policeman or employee of the borough. Council took action to this effect last night.

It appears that within the past few days the dog catchers have been interfered with in their work, and complaint has been made. Information was brought against three young men, but this morning at a hearing they were discharged on account of lack of evidence. They were given a warning by Acting Burgess H. S. Piersol, and told not to interfere with the dog catcher or any officer in the performance of his duties on this sidewalk. For all future offenses a fine of not less than \$100.

The meeting took up the question of sidewalks on Lincoln Avenue. The borough engineer was instructed to prepare an ordinance to be passed between Fifth and Sixth streets, and this avenue.

The raising of the sidewalks on the side of Washington Avenue has been petitioned for by the residents of that street, was taken up at the meeting. It will be investigated.

The meeting will meet next Friday evening to take up other matters of importance.

At last night's session there were only four members present and business of the most importance was held over.

To Publish Local Pictures.

Pictures of Charleroi will be published on Sunday in the Pittsburgh Dispatch. These will be of the Volunteer Firemen and the Lutheran church, being taken some time ago by a photographer of the Dispatch. The pictures are intensely interesting. There are three groups, one the hook and ladder truck with the men, a group of the firemen's organization, and the chemical and hose wagon with the members.

Natural Educational Association.

The National Educational Association holds its annual meeting this year at the great convention city of Denver, July 5-9. Everything points to a large attendance and a splendid meeting. The railroads have offered very low rates. A special train will leave Philadelphia July 2. Information may be obtained by addressing Reed B. Teitrich, N. E. A. State Director, Harrisburg, or any member of the enrolling committee.

Pastor Transferred.

Rev. Victor Pankaszo, who has been pastor of the St. Joseph's Lithuanian church of Donora for the past fifteen months, has been transferred by Bishop Canavin to Church of Ascension, of Market street, Allegheny. Rev. Ignace Abramatis, rector of the North Side church, will succeed Rev. Pankaszo in Donora.

Peoples Bank Loses In The Avner Suit; Case Closed Yesterday

Jury Finds for Defendant in California Bank Ejectment Proceedings.

The jury in the ejectment suit of the Peoples bank of California against Max Avner yesterday returned a verdict for the defendant. The second suit brought by the Peoples bank, of California against Max Avner, to recover on a \$1,000 mortgage and involving about the same fact as the suit disposed of, was continued by agreement.

EXPENSES OF SUTHERLAND

Successful Candidate Spends Something Over \$2,000 to Gain Desire.

LIST COMPRISES 129 ITEMS

J. C. Sutherland, who won the Republican nomination for recorder at the recent primary, has filed his expense account. His expenditures were \$2,072.92.

The account comprises 129 items, extending from September 1, 1908, to June 16, 1909, inclusive. Newspaper advertising comprises over one half of the account.

For dissemination of information to voters, services, etc., the following sums were paid out: to Charles E. Baker, \$143.59; O. Evans Mikeseit, \$60; B. C. Parshall, \$135; Joseph T. Hemphill, \$135; O. M. Henderson, \$115; G. P. Baker, \$50; W. M. Butler, \$40.

Sutherland reports no contributions and no unpaid obligations.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

First Presbyterian.

Morning subject, "The Crown of Life." This is the first of a series of five sermons to be preached on "the crowns" mentioned in the Bible. Sunday school at 9:45; Christian Endeavor at 6:45, topic, "The Hill of Difficulty." Leader, Miss Mary Thompson. Evening subject, at 7:30, "What and How Do You See?" Communion service will be held the first Sunday in July. All are cordially invited to attend the services Sunday. Rev. T. J. Hackett, pastor.

Christian.

Services at the First Christian church tomorrow will be as follows: Bible school 9:45 a. m.; Junior C. E. 2:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:45 p. m. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The sermon themes will be: Morning, "In Memory of Me," evening, "My Ideal Husband." The report from the County S. S. Convention (Continued on fourth page.)

PIFFLE! ANOTHER

Charleroi Easily Gets Rid of Contest to Grafton Bunch.

THEY HAD IT WON ONCE

Get Three Scores in First Inning Election Will be Held at Next Regular Meeting on June 25.

P. & W. Va. League.

Yesterday's Results.

Uniontown	2	Connellsville	1
Grafton	7	Charleroi	6
Fairmont	4	Clarksburg	3

Standing of the Clubs.

Fairmont	25	10	714
Uniontown	19	15	558
Connellsville	20	17	541
Grafton	17	20	459
Clarksburg	13	22	371
Charleroi	13	23	361

Today's Schedule.

Grafton at Charleroi

Uniontown at Connellsville.

Clarksburg at Fairmont.

Grafton won the first contest of the home series yesterday from the Cherubs, or rather were presented with the game by the Charleroi bunch.

After Grafton had scored in the first part of the first inning, through Zinn's homer over the right field fence, Charleroi took things in hand and got three runs in. Morgan was struck out.

Murphy got a base, stole second, Elliott struck out. Murphy stole third and Kniceley was given a walk. White Conway was at bat, Kniceley and Murphy pulled off a beautiful double steal, scoring Murphy. Conway doubled, and Makepeace tripled, sending in both Kniceley and Conway.

In their half of the second, Grafton got one on Raley's single, Eckert's error, a passed ball by Makepeace, a sacrifice fly of Warren, and a fielder's choice on Brigger's sonse.

In the seventh the Engineers got four runs. With one out Rothermel was given a walk and stole second, while Zinn was out on a fly. Gainer singled, and Hinton followed with a bingle. Then Dan Raley proceeded to knock one over the right field fence. Jimmy Gainer was out on a fly.

One in the last half of the seventh and two in the eighth by the Cherubs tied the score. Elliott was given a base, stole second, and Kniceley and Conway both flew out. Makepeace secured a floke hit, while Elliott trotted out to third, and took a desperate chance while the Grafton second baseman was playing kitten, reaching home safely. In the eighth Urban singled and was sacrificed to second by Humphries. Morgan drew a walk, and Murphy flew out. Elliott singled.

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CHILDREN'S EXERCISES

Charleroi Circle P. H. C. Has Fine Time at Annual Affair.

THEY HAD IT WON ONCE

Get Three Scores in First Inning Election Will be Held at Next Regular Meeting on June 25.

The annual children's day exercises held last evening by the members of Charleroi Circle No. 308 P. H. C. was a decided success in every way. A lengthy program was rendered by the little folks consisting of recitations, vocal and instrumental music, all rendered in a very pleasing manner. The Jenkins Juvenile minstrels were present and rendered several pleasing selections and the boys as usual got the glad hand. They show much improvement under the careful training of their leader, Johnny Jenkins.

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served to the children and the visitors, consisting of ice cream and cake. The occasion is only one more of the many pleasant events participated in by the circle, which are growing in interest each year as they tend to bring the young and old together in a manner that is productive of much sociability. After lunch various forms of amusement were provided for the little ones, while the older ones were loth to leave as the clock struck the midnight hour.

Nominations for officers for the ensuing term of six months were made and the election will be held at the next regular meeting, June 25. A lively contest is expected at this election, as there are many aspirants for the several offices.

One of the most pleasing features was the presence of Capt. F. S. Duncan of Loyal Circle No. 113, Pittsburgh, who presented the members of Charleroi Circle with a souvenir picture of his banner degree team that visited here one week ago. Capt. Duncan also extended an invitation to Charleroi Circle to visit Loyal Circle August 5. The invitation was gladly accepted, and active preparations will be made to arrange for the trip by special car.

Boy Cornetist Appears.

A free orchestra concert will be given at Eldora Park Sunday afternoon and evening. Master Joseph Franks, Charleroi's celebrated boy cornetist, will appear and render solos at each concert.

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve is good for cuts, burns and bruises and is especially good for piles. Refuse substitute. Sold by Piper Bros.

CONTROVERSY ARISES OVER AWARD OF LIGHT CONTRACT

Corner Stone Laying Of Monongahela's New School Building

PETITION TO BE PRESENTED

Meeting will be Held on Monday at Which Time Matter will be Taken Up.

The corner stone of the new school building which is in course of erection at Monongahela was laid last evening with appropriate ceremonies. Among the features of the evening was a parade which extended over the principal streets. In this were many of the fraternal societies of the town and the school children. There were two bands.

The laying of the stone was by Dr. Grave, president of the school board. The address was made by Rev. Beckler of the Christian church.

EUCHRE AS A BENEFIT

Ladies' Auxiliary of Monessen General Hospital Realize Good Sum.

LARGE NUMBER ATTEND

The euchre held at the Elks' home yesterday afternoon by the Charleroi Ladies' Auxiliary of the Monessen General Hospital was a great success in every particular. Many were in attendance, and several tickets were sold to those who did not attend the euchre. Between \$50 and \$60 was realized, this amount to be used in the purchasing supplies for the hospital.

The hours of play were from 2 to 5. There were quite a number of out-of-town guests present, some coming from Monessen, North Charleroi and other places. The committee on arrangements for the affair was composed of the finance committee of the Auxiliary. The ladies desire to extend their thanks to the Elks' Club for the use of their hall, feeling that they have in this manner aided in a worthy work.

Tent Meetings at Donora.

Arrangements are being completed for the tent meetings which are to be held in Donora July 1st to July 11th. Rev. Henry J. Gile, pastor of one of the large congregations in Pittsburgh is to be present and preach every evening and Sunday afternoons during the meetings.

Charleroi Man is Appointed.

Through the influence of Senators Penrose and Oliver John J. Oates of Charleroi has been appointed an inspector of the field department of the State Board of Health. His chief is Walter H. Hood of Philadelphia, and the field of operation is State wide.

To Repair Church.

The trustees of the Speers M. E. church are making preparations to remodel their building as well as to furnish it so far as needed. A subscription is being raised to provide the necessary funds.

Monongahela Solons are Being Besieged by Residents to Make Change.

PETITION TO BE PRESENTED

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A heated controversy is on at Monongahela between a number of the citizens and the city council, over the letting of the light contract for the ensuing five years to the West Penn Electric company. The contracts held with this company and the Welsbach Gas company recently expired, and the councils awarded the West Penn company the right to light the town. As a result there has been considerable indignation, from the fact that the residents in some sections claim that the Welsbach lights would be better than the Electric lights, that would be furnished for these districts. A meeting of councils will be held Tuesday evening at which time the matter will be taken up again.

The contract was let at the rate of \$70 per year for arc lights and \$15 for Tungsten lights, or practically the same amount that Charleroi is paying. In the hill districts of the town it would of course be necessary to use the Tungsten lights, and the residents claim that these would not be equal to the Welsbach lights, which have been in use. The Tungsten lights would not cost as much however, the Welsbach lights being \$28 each a year.

It is stated that on Tuesday evening a petition will be presented to the council by hill residents to have a contract signed up with the Welsbach for a number of lights, the minimum number of which will have to be 150 according to the bid of that company. This petition contains about 400 or 500 names.

Owing to the contentions, it is stated the councils have not yet signed up papers with the West Penn company, and although they awarded the contract they are still at liberty to readvertise and award the contract again. Whether the West Penn company would have a partial contract for lights over the city or not is not known.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. C. W. Albright was tendered a surprise last evening at her home on Fallowfield avenue by a number of her friends, it being in form of a birthday party. There were a number of guests present, several attending from out of town. The evening was spent with the usual diversions. Lunch was served.

Notice.

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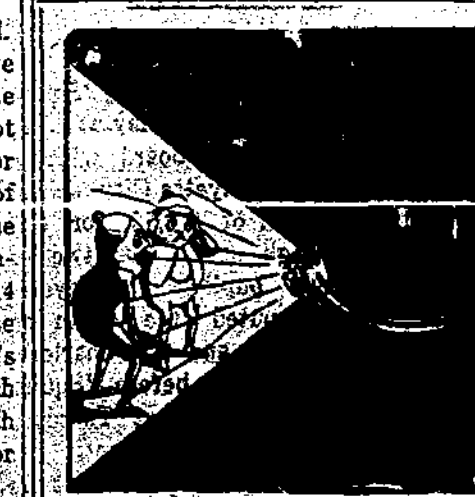
Tomorrow night, after the regular service at the First Christian church, Capt. Harriet Speelman of the Salvation Army Rescue Home at Bellevue, will deliver an address, for the purpose of bringing to public notice the purposes of the home, and the great work of charity it is performing. Capt. Speelman has been making a tour of the river district in the interests of the institution, and last Sunday made an address along similar lines at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church.

During the year 1909 the Salvation Army opened a home at Mt. Washington as a refuge for fallen women. The institution thrived, but it soon grew too small for its quarters, and was moved to Bellevue in 1905. The object of the home is to reach the poor, friendless, fallen girl who has become the victim of some unscrupulous person.

Every day, there are coming into the city, seeking employment, many young women. Unused to city ways, making friends with many they meet at work, etc., without the restraining influence of home, they are soon led astray. To such as these is the home opened. The girls remain in the home three or four months. During that time they are taught house work and needle work and after giving satisfaction, situations are secured for them. Thus helped they enter a new life of usefulness.

The girls assisted are not all bad. The home is often a temporary refuge for a widow with a little child, one in financial straits. They are kept until a position maybe found for them. A very striking feature of the work in Pittsburgh is the extreme youth of the girls, a number of maternity cases this year being but 14 and 15 years of age. Few of these young mothers have known a mother's care themselves, and it requires much care and great patience to deal with them, but the results are enough for the toil and sympathy expended.

Capt. Speelman, who has devoted much time to this kind of rescue work, is an earnest and sincere woman, a good talker and presents the work of the institution in a most entertaining manner.



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June 19 in American History.

1794—Richard Henry Lee, president at one time of congress and the first to introduce resolutions for independence, died; born 1732.
1864—Battle between the United States steamer Kearsarge and the Confederate cruiser Alabama off Cherbourg, France; the Alabama destroyed.
1905—The capital of the United States named as the meeting place of the Russian and Japanese peace plenipotentiaries.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:24; moon sets 9:25 p. m.; 9:30 p. m., all Jupiter's four outer satellites seen on east of the planet, beautifully grouped.

June 20 in American History.

1811—Matthew Simpson, noted bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church, born in Cadiz, O.; died 1884.
1867—The final papers were signed by which Alaska was sold to the United States for \$7,200,000.
1876—Santa Anna, general, dictator and president of Mexico for many years, died at his estate of Manzanillo, Mexico; born 1795.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:25; moon sets 10:09 p. m.; sun's declination today 23.5 degrees north of celestial equator.

Wants to Bolt.

True to its Prohibition proclivities, the Washington Observer is already advocating a bolt of the Republican State ticket in Washington county. It expresses the hope that Rev. Frank Fish of Claysville will be the Prohibition candidate for State Treasurer, because the Republican candidate, Ex-Senator Jeremiah A. Stober, has always been a Republican, and the Republican party, in the Observer's opinion, by not endorsing Prohibition, has no longer any right for existence. In this the Observer's logic is along the lines of the old theological argument that all sin deserves punishment, and every dereliction is a sin; therefore the boy who misses his lesson at school is guilty of sin, and consequently deserves eternal damnation.

Time was when the Observer was not so squeamish over the conduct of any element of the Republican party. Only three years ago when the State capital scandal was an issue, and a large contingent of the better element of the Republican party joined the Lincoln movement in the support of Lewis Emery, Jr., as a candidate for Governor against the so-called machine Republican nominee, the Observer not only followed this machine willingly, but it made frantic appeals to the voters of Washington county for party regularity. Mr. Acheson was a candidate for Congress himself then, which made the difference.

Now, when after the grafters who masqueraded as Republicans have been eliminated, the Observer wants to bolt. Its mission is simply to stir up trouble because of political scruples of public morality or integrity.

Proper Support.

After passing an ordinance requiring all dogs that run at large in the

Borough to be muzzled, the town council will resolutely enforce its provisions. A dog-catcher has been employed, but some people seem to think this official has no legal authority, and can be interfered with at will. At a meeting last night the council again emphasized its action in this matter by entering proceedings against two persons who were charged with interfering with the dog catcher, and expressed determination to vigorously prosecute further offenses of this kind.

In taking such action council is performing its duty to the public, and the members will be accorded the support of citizens generally. The ordinance was enacted for the safety of the people and its enforcement entails no hardship on any person. The danger from dogs running at large is great at all times, and no private rights are encroached upon by removing a grave source of danger to the public in general.

A Benificent Institution.

How to help erring girls has long been one of the difficult problems that has perplexed students of sociology. There is no place for such cases in any of the public charitable institutions, except in cases of physical or mental incapacity, when the hospitals or asylums take them in. There are also sectarian homes of refuge, but these are not general in their application. The Salvation Army, which never wastes time studying abstract problems when human help is necessary, has established a Rescue and Maternity Home for unfortunate girls and women in a suburb of Pittsburgh, and if it has not solved a general problem, it has at least rescued a number of souls that would otherwise have been lost in the flotsam and jetsam of wrecked lives.

Tomorrow night at the First Christian church, a representative of the home will tell of its work and achievements. The Salvation Army are not capitalists. They undertake anything for the good of humanity, and trust in God and the generosity of those who worship the master. This institution is perhaps little known, but its work must appeal strongly to those who sympathize for the unfortunate to whom aid is least available.

Electric Sparks

Some of the people connected with the Charleroi baseball team were sore at the Mail because it had not provided a crowd at the baseball park for yesterday's game. Evidently expected us to accomplish an impossibility. If the team were winning games occasionally there might be a good attendance, but otherwise, it is hardly fair to expect people to go. If a good team had been secured to start with, things would have been different now.

Family reunions will soon be the order of the day in this county.

That wonderful "woman in black" over at Washington cannot be shot, is the latest report. Wonder what the "dad-bimed" thing is, anyhow?

The trouble with granting rural sections brick highways, is that they will begin to think they are the town, and will refuse thereafter to come to the former centers to buy their provisions and bring in fresh eggs. Don't matter so much about the former, but we would hate to lose their fresh egg service.

The Charleroi Merchants will doubtless in the near future start some visiting to some other works. But, fellows, beware, lest they want to feed you twice, for that you know is a hindrance to good digestion.

Charleroi Board Wins.

By a decision rendered by Squire Young of Belle Vernon today at noon, the Charleroi school board wins its suit against the Fayette City school board for a claim of \$38.10 for tuition to the high school for two of Fayette City's pupils. The Fayette City board disputed the claim on technical grounds, and the Charleroi board brought suit before Squire Young of Belle Vernon last Tuesday, who reserved his decision until today, when he gave judgement to Charleroi for the sum named.

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WILD ELEPHANTS.

A Herd's Successful Raid on a Granary in Ceylon.

Some soldiers stationed at an outpost in Ceylon, says a Colombo paper, were surprised to find a large quantity of rice were sent off a few miles to quiet some unruly villagers, only two of the party remaining behind. No sooner had the soldiers departed than a herd of wild elephants, which had long been wandering about the neighborhood, appeared in front of the granary. Its walls were of solid brickwork, very thick, and the only opening into the building was in the center of the roof, which was reached by a ladder. On the approach of the elephants the two men clambered up into a lofty banyan tree to escape injury. Screened by the thick foliage, though unseen by the elephants, they easily saw all that went on below. The sagacious animals began operations at the corners of the building. Two powerful elephants, after putting forth every effort, but in vain, to make an impression on the building, were forced to retire exhausted. A third came forward, and, applying his tusks as levers, he at length succeeded in dislodging a single brick. An opening once made, others of the herd advanced, and soon an entrance was obtained sufficiently large to admit them. As the whole company could not be accommodated at once, they divided into small groups of three or four. After satisfying themselves they retired and gave place to others until the whole herd, upward of twenty, had made a full meal. By this time a shrill sound was heard from one of the elephants, and those still in the granary rushed out and joined their companions. One of the first divisions, after leaving the building, had acted as sentinel while the others were taking their turn. He had perceived the troops returning from the village and gave the signal for retreat, when the whole herd, flourishing their trunks, moved rapidly into the jungle. The soldiers found the animals had devoured the greater part of the rice. A bull from a fieldpiece was discharged at them in their retreat, but they only wagged their tails as if in mockery and were soon hidden in the recesses of their native forests.

LEPROSY.

After One Ravages the Disease May Lie Dormant For Years.

The leper in the settlement at Molokai is far better off than the leper who lies in hiding outside. Such a leper is a lovely outcast, living in constant fear of discovery and slowly and surely rotting away. The action of leprosy is not steady. It lays hold of its victim, commits a ravage and then lies dormant for an indeterminate period. It may not commit another ravage for five years or ten years or forty years, and the patient may enjoy uninterrupted good health. Rarely, however, do these first ravages cease of themselves. The skilled surgeon is required, and the skilled surgeon cannot be called in for the leper who is in hiding. For instance, the first ravage may take the form of a perforating ulcer in the sole of the foot. When the bone is reached necrosis sets in. If the leper is in hiding he cannot be operated upon, the necrosis will continue to eat its way up the bone of the leg, and in a brief and horrible time that leper will die of gangrene or some other terrible complication. On the other hand, if that same leper is in Molokai the surgeon will operate upon the foot, remove the ulcer, cleanse the bone and put a complete stop to that particular ravage of the disease. A month after the operation the leper will be out riding on horseback, running foot races, swimming in the breakers or climbing the giddy sides of the valleys for mountain apples. And, as has been stated before, the disease, lying dormant, may not again attack him for five, ten or forty years.—Jack London in Contemporary Review.

Three New Hats.

Milliners have other troubles besides the frequent difficulty of collecting bills. One milliner tells of a letter she received from the wife of a man who in a brief time had advanced from poverty to great wealth. His family was still in obscurity, but was preparing to emerge.

"I want you should make a bonnet and two hats right off," wrote the wife, "for me and the girls, and expense is no account."

"My measure is nearly twelve inches from ear to ear over the head and eight under chin and six from top of forehead to back hair, and that's near enough for both the girls."

"I'm sandy, Jane is dark, and Lucy's got red hair. We want lively colors, and I want blue flowers and strings on mine, besides some pinks."

"Jane wants hers green, and Lucy wants pink. We don't care what shapes, but they must be becoming and so as they won't blow to pieces in the wind. Nor we don't want them loud, for my husband won't bear to hear such."

"Please send within five days, and if satisfactory bill will be paid at once."—Youth's Companion.

An Impossible Man.

"Why did you marry me?"
"Because I thought you were different."

"And now you want a divorce because you were mistaken?"
"No, because I was right."—Cleveland Leader.

"I believe in laughter, in love, in faith, in all distant hopes that live on in—Groves."

CITY OF THE INSANE.

Happy and Honored "Guests" of the Inhabitants of Ghent.

One of the most remarkable places in Europe, of which no tourist on pleasure in a Berlin paper, is the "City of the Insane," by which name Ghent, near Antwerp, has been known for generations. About 1500 men and women afflicted with insanity in all its forms live there and have a happy being as the "guests" of the inhabitants, who know by experience how to treat the unfortunate ones. In the streets, in the places of amusement, the cafes and workshops these patients may be found, and nowhere is there the remotest suggestion of restraint apparent. The board ranges from 240 to 2400 marks a year, and no matter how small the amount may be, the patient is always the favored member of the family. He has the first right to the most comfortable chair, and the head of the table belongs to him. He receives the most attention, and this he learns to appreciate and to endeavor to maintain by living down his illness. Even the children know how to treat the demented people. The dangerous ones are sent to another settlement and to institutions. It is wonderful how amiable and kind the simple people are toward their charges, and a peep into the community would probably terrify physicians who had never heard of and could not appreciate the good which is being done in this "City of the Insane."

A RACE ON ICE.

The Skates That Got Away and Those That Were Recovered.

Thackeray once asked one of the men who let out skates on the Serpentine whether he had ever lost a pair through the omission to exact a deposit, and he replied that he had never done so, except on one occasion, when the circumstances made it almost pardonable.

A well dressed young fellow was having his second skate fastened on when he suddenly broke away from the man's hands and dashed to the ice. The next instant a thick-set, powerful man was clammering for another pair. He was a detective in pursuit of his prey, and a very animating sight it was to watch the chase. He was, as he had boasted, a first rate skater, and it became presently obvious that he was running down his man.

Then the young fellow determined to run a desperate risk of liberty. The ice, as usual, under the bridge was marked "Dangerous," and he made for it at headlong speed. The ice bent beneath his weight, but he got safely through.

The sheriff's officer followed with equal pluck, but, being a heavier man, broke through and was drowned.

"His skates," said the narrator of the incident, "I got back after the inquest, but those the young gentleman had on I never saw again."—London Telegraph.

The Salt Sea Legend.

There is a legend in the Norse sagas which explains why the sea is salt. The "bountiful Frodi," whose mythical reign was a golden age indeed, possessed a quern, or hand mill, which ground out gold and peace, but which would grind out stores of anything desired by its owner. Two giant maidens, ruled over by Frodi, were the grinders. In an evil day a sea rover came upon the scene, slew Frodi and carried off the quern and the two giant maidens who worked it. When the sea rover's vessel was right out at sea he ordered the maidens to grind salt. At midnight they asked if they had not ground enough. The sea rover, angry at being awakened from his sleep, commanded them to grind until morning. Now, the giant maidens naturally enough worked very quickly, so as they went on grinding the load of salt grew so heavy that it sank the ship, and now the sea will continue salt forever.

Looked Too Far.

There was an English farmer, a Somersetshire man, who once owned a telescope. The old man remarked to a friend at a local race meeting that the gentry nowadays had glasses for both eyes and added that he "had had one once for one eye, a right good one it was, but now it was no use at all—no, not to nobody."

"Why not?" asked the friend.

"Well," he said, "it were a good one. I could see miles w' en. I could see plain the steeple of the church five miles off. But missus' son John, he borrowed en, and he tried to see the steeple of t'other church, ten miles off—and tried and tried and couldn't. And that strained it, and it were never of no use any more—no, not to nobody."

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How to Present Mutual Friends Who Are Strangers.

Strangers who go to cities where frequently given cards or letters of introduction. To thus present two friends is one of the most gracious acts that can be performed by a third person and is not one which should be asked save under exceptional conditions. If a person wishes to bring together others who are strangers the suggestion will be made without request from the one who is going away. However simple it may seem to ask for introductions, it is a matter on which none can be too particular. There may be some reasons, unknown to outsiders, which would make it extremely awkward to ask one friend to go to see another, and yet to refuse such a request is almost impossible.

When one woman is being presented by letter to another it is customary for the friend who knows the other two to write the third and tell her that Mrs. or Miss So-and-so will be in town at such a time and will go to see her. She may, if she likes, enclose the stranger's card with the new address, or it may be the other way around.

Then when the stranger arrives in town she sends her own visiting card, with that of the friend who is making the introduction, to the other whom she wishes to know. The first visit should be paid at once by the old resident. If a man is being introduced he follows the same line, sending his visiting card with the address on it to the woman upon whom he has been invited to call. He is not expected, however, to pay his visit until she has written that she would like to have him come. This leaves the woman the option of refusing his acquaintance if she chooses, although such a situation rarely occurs. On receipt of his visiting card the woman writes that she will be happy to see him, and it is rather expected that she will set a time for his call; otherwise he might arrive when she is out. If it should happen that the man cannot go at the time appointed, he should write a note explaining that a previous engagement prevents and that he will give himself the pleasure of going shortly, trusting to find the woman at home. If a man or a girl has a business letter of introduction, it should be sent into the office with the visiting card and not taken in by the person who is being presented. The latter way makes it necessary for the stranger to wait while the letter is being read in his or her presence, while if it precedes it is read before he or she goes in.

A Troublesome Mirror.

"Mamma," said Flossie, "this old looking glass isn't any good."
"Why, what's the matter with it, dear?" asked her mother.
"Every time I try to look in it," explained Flossie, "my face gets in the way."

As a Corollary.

"Are marriages made in heaven?"
"As to that I can't say, but I do know this much."
"What's that, Peleg?"
"There's lots of courting done in church."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Didn't Get a Chance.

She—What did papa say when you asked him for my hand?
He—Why, he couldn't say a word.
"He couldn't?"
"Not your mother was there!"—Yonkers Statesman.

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Gilbert Untergart returned home this morning after a visit with friends and relatives in Waltersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Rossum leave this evening for Atlantic City, where they will spend several days.

F. R. Park left this morning for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will remain for sometime.

David C. Lindsay has returned from a business trip to West Virginia. Mr. Lindsay is a deputy organizer of the Loyal Order of the Moose, and was forming lodges in several West Virginia towns.

William Parks, a former resident and business man of this place now located near Artesia, New Mexico, will leave for his home this evening after a visit of several days in Charleroi. Mr. Parks was back to his old home on a business and pleasure trip.

Henry Frye formerly of Charleroi, returned from San Francisco yesterday, where he had spent several months with his father. He will remain here for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Riggs took a trip to Brownsville last evening in the Reeves touring car.

Burgess George W. Risbeck is confined to his home on Washington avenue by illness.

Mrs. Carl Fisher, son Raymond and daughter Mabel, left today for Marion, Ind., where they will visit relatives. They were accompanied by Mrs. Fisher's brother, Grover Teagarden, who will spend sometime with his parents.

A number of Charleroi young people attended a social given by the M. E. church of Allentown last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves and children of Carmichaels arrived today for a visit with friends and relatives.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. T. P. O'Connor's visit to this country is in the interest of Irish industries.

Mrs. Taft's name heads the roll of honorary members of the Daughters of Ohio. She was elected at a recent meeting of the society which was held in New York.

Miss Catherine Reuben Sabury, for some years the head of St. Agnes' school at Albany, is spoken of as the successor of Miss Agnes Irwin as dean of Radcliffe college.

Queen Wilhelmina, who has recently become a convert to perfumery, prefers the soft, uncertain French odors, and she uses them in a French way. She seems each article of clothing strongly, but with a different odor.

Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, instructor in the department of chemistry at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, is to give a course of lectures at the University of California the coming summer on "Household Economics."

Mrs. Mary Nevins Bull, widow of Dr. William T. Bull, has presented to the New York Academy of Medicine a bronze bust of her husband, which was Dr. Bull's last gift to her before he died. She gives it to the academy in his son's name.

Little Miss Emily Bornton of Colorado, who is only thirteen years old, has a record as a mountain climber. She recently ascended Long's peak, commonly called the American Matterhorn, which is 14,271 feet high, scoring the aid of a guide, even at the dangerous points. The feat would be difficult for a man.

Countess von Boos Farrar, a niece of Archbishop Farrar, is giving her whole time to New York's sick and needy. She has lately secured seventy-five acres at Spring Valley, N. Y., and will build there a home for children of criminals, not only to care for the waifs, but to make a thorough test of the theory of inherited crime. Criminologists are said to be much interested in the results of the venture.

Her Retort.

It is always gratifying to meet a person who is contented with his lot. For that reason it would be delightful to make the acquaintance of the woman who had the last word in a suffragist controversy. The writer of a suffragist communication in a newspaper wrote sadly that "woman is nothing but a female relative of man; the man is the noun, the woman is the preposition." "Well, what do I care?" was the triumphant retort. "The preposition governs the noun."—Youth's Companion.

Classified Ads

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GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply at 411 Meadow avenue. 6232tf

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PIFFLE

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to right, Raley leaving the ball get through and Elliott tried to go to third, getting caught however.

in the ninth, for Gratton singled, but was out on second on a fielder's choice when Gainer tried to sacrifice. Gainer stole second and went to third on Hinton's out. Dan Raley sent an easy one down to first, and while Smith was standing with the ball in his hands wondering what to do, Gainer crossed the plate and Raley was safe. The score:

CHARLEROI.										
Players.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.				
Morgan, m.	4	1	1	5	0	0				
Murphy, s.	4	1	0	4	2	0				
Elliott, l.	4	1	2	2	0	0				
Knically, 2.	4	1	0	0	0	0				
Conway, r.	5	1	3	1	0	0				
Makepiece, c.	5	0	3	7	0	1				
Smith, l.	4	0	0	6	0	0				
Urban, 3.	4	1	1	1	2	0				
Eckert, p.	2	0	0	1	2	2				
Humphries, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Totals.	36	6	10	27	6	3				

GRAFTON.										
Players.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.				
Rothermel, 2.	3	1	0	4	2	1				
Zinn, l.	5	0	2	1	0	0				
Gainer, l.	5	2	2	5	0	0				
Hinton, s.	5	1	1	1	2	0				
B. Raley, r.	5	2	4	2	0	0				
Gainear, m.	5	0	1	3	1	0				
Warren, 3.	3	0	0	1	1	0				
Brigger, c.	3	0	0	9	0	0				
Fitzwater, p.	4	0	1	1	0	1				
Totals.	38	7	11	27	6	2				

Charleroi..... 3 0 0 0 0 1 2 0-6
Grafton..... 1 1 0 0 0 4 0 1-7
Two base hits—Conway 2, Gainer.
Three base hit—Makepiece. Home runs—Zinn, Fraley. Sacrifice hits—Humphries, Warren. Stolen bases—Murphy 3, Elliott, Knically, Rothermel, Gainer, Brigger. Hit by pitcher—Eckert. Bases on balls—Off Eckert, 4 off Fitzwater 4. Struck out—By Eckert 2, by Fitzwater 5. Passed balls—Murphy 2. Umpire—Featheringham.

SUNDAY SERVICES

AT THE CHURCHES

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tion will be given at the Bible School session and the report from the C. E. convention at the C. E. session.

St. Mary's Episcopal.
Holy communion at 8 a. m., Sunday school and Bible Class at 9:45, morning prayer, anti-communion service and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject, "Human Nature." Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Subject—"The Greatest in the Kingdom, and Their Reward." Seats free. All are welcome.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian
The children's day services will be held at the Washington avenue Presbyterian church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Other services as usual.

Baptist.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m., morning worship with sermon 11 a. m. Subject—"The One Man as Among Nine." Evening service 7:30 sharp. Wednesday evening Covenant meeting.

Christ Lutheran.
Washington Avenue and Sixth street, Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Divine worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Frontz. Meeting for men only in the Brotherhood room of the church at 3 o'clock. Luther League at 6:30 p. m. Leader, Miss Emma Gloor. At 7:30 p. m. the children's day service. A cordial welcome to all the services.

Qualified.
"I'm sure my daughter is going to make a great singer some day."
"Is that so?"
"Yes; she's always quarreling with her mother, who tells me it is absolutely impossible to manage her."—Detroit Free Press.

Paid Her Back.
Mac—So you are engaged to George? I refused him three times. Ethel—That must have been what he meant when he told me that he had had several narrow escapes.—New York Journal.

Both Tainted.
"You are in the employ of that millionaire on the hill, aren't you?" snapped the sharp faced woman who ran the buffet and egg shop.
"Yes, ma'am," responded the man in the white apron, and I want two pounds of butter for my master's table. He said he'd send to town after it, only the roads are so bad."
"He did, eh? Well, we are not particular about his trade. Did you tell him I said his money was tainted?"
"Indeed, I did."
"And what did he say?"
"Said so, was you, blamed old but-ter."—Chicago News.

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EARLY CARICATURES

Quaint Art and Humor of the Ancient Egyptians.

The tables of Aesop prove that the ancients were not without a liking for fun, and the remains of ancient art tell the same story. Examples of artistic humor are more common than is generally supposed.

A drawing on a tile in the New York museum represents a cat dressed as an Egyptian woman of fashion. She is seated languidly on a chair, sipping wine out of a small bowl and being fanned and offered dainties by an abject looking toment with his tail between his legs.

The cat figures largely in the ancient comic groups of animal life. In a papyrus in the British museum a flock of geese are being driven by a cat and a herd of goats by two wolves with crooks and wallets. One of the wolves is playing a double pipe. There is in Turin a papyrus roll that displays a whole series of such comical scenes. In the first place, a lion, a crocodile and an ape are giving a vocal and instrumental concert. Next comes an ass dressed, armed and scuppered like a pharaoh. With majestic swagger he receives the gifts presented to him by a cat of high degree, to which a bull acts as proud conductor. A lion and a gazelle are playing at draughts, a hippopotamus is perched

on the tree and is trying to dislodge him. Another picture shows a pharaoh in the shape of a rat drawn in a carriage by shaming greyhounds. He is proceeding to storm a fort garrisoned by cats having no arms, but teeth and claws, whereas the rats have battle-axes, shields and bows and arrows.—St. Louis Republic.

An Elixir of Life.
"An annuity is the best elixir of life I know of," said the examining physician of an insurance company. "It sometimes seems as if annuities never die. We have lots on our books who top eighty, ninety and even ninety-five years. I have passed many a sickly and decrepit old fellow as a good annuity risk—the sicklier they are, you know, the better risk they make—and the next year he has turned up to collect his annuity rejuvenated, rosy, spry as a boy. The secret? The secret is that financial worry, fear of the poorhouse, ages and kills off more people than all the deadly diseases combined. Release an old man by means of an annuity from all this worry, and he throws off his years and walks erect and happy and fearlessly young."

A HOTEL DINNER.

The Husband Ordered It, and His Wife Criticized It.

On the midnight train ride from town, where he and his wife had been entertaining one of his best patients at dinner and the theater, the suburban doctor spoke bitterly:

"What a dinner! And it cost \$15. The cooking in these big hotels is atrocious. They smear sauces over everything. I suppose it is to hide poor materials."

"It isn't the fault of the cooking that your dinner was a failure. It was its selection that doomed it."

"What was the matter with the selection?"

"You should not have done the ordering. You have your meals chosen for you almost every day in the year. It is the woman of people in our circumstances who ought to arrange the menus at restaurants. Look what you ordered! Bisque of lobster—a soup with a body of thick white sauce. Sweetbreads—cooked, as usual, with a cream dressing. Virginia ham with champagne sauce—a brown sauce as thick as molasses. Then for dessert you took a chance on pudding Reine Victoria—candied fruit and lady fingers swimming in soft custard."

"Well, how is a fellow to know? Lobster soup, sweetbreads, Virginia ham and pudding Reine Victoria—it sounds fine."

"But a woman knows that it is a wretched combination of splendid dishes. It is the woman's dull duty to choose menus for 365 days in the year. She learns a good deal about selection. Yet when a sum of money, equal to a week's food expenses, is to be squandered on one dinner at a hotel it is the man who seizes the menu and tries to look capable. He makes a failure frequently, as you did tonight. It would have been a pleasure for me to order a fifteen dollar dinner—a charge from manipulating dinner for four on \$1. But men feel too important in a restaurant to submit the menu to their wives for assistance."—Exchange.

Caught Bending.

Professor Cube Root's class of geometrical geniuses were receiving instructions. They were first taught that a circle was a thing like this—O. They then learned that a straight line was one without wabbles in it, so—

"Now, boys," said Professor Root, "can any of you describe to me what a half circle is like?"

"Up side half a dozen grasping hands." "Well, Teddy," said Professor Root, "let's hear your definition of a half circle first."

"Please, sir," answered Teddy, "it's a straight line caught bending."—London Express.

Knew He Was Safe.

"You seem to be going home in a huff," said a friend.
"Yes, I am. My wife is an amateur elocutionist, and she's saving her voice for an entertainment tomorrow night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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